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VOTE TUESDAY

Primary election set for Tuesday

Democratic and Republican primary elections for Hancock County and the state of Mississippi will be held Tuesday, Aug. 3.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m.

For a complete rundown on election information, including sample ballots, lists of poll workers, primary precinct locations and information on state and local races, look inside today's Echo.

VOTE TUESDAY

Supervisors set to meet

The Hancock County Board of Supervisors will meet tomorrow, Monday, Aug. 2, to discuss bid openings and the purchase of lights and concession stands for Gulfview ball field. The meeting is open to the public.

VOTE TUESDAY

TIDES

DAY	HIGH	LOW
Mon.	6:58 a.	6:16 p.
Tues.	7:23 a.	6:57 p.
Wed.	8:04 a.	7:46 p.
Thurs.	8:54 a.	8:36 p.
Fri.	9:48 a.	9:28 p.

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Primary '99

Hundreds turn out to hear their favorite - or least favorite - candidates address the issues in a political forum at the Diamondhead Country Club Thursday sponsored by the Diamondhead Community Association.



Echo staff photo by Geoff Belcher

Voter lines expected to be long in primary

BY ED LEPOMA

It's next to impossible to predict voter turnout or the outcome of Tuesday's Democratic and Republican primaries in Hancock County.

Most incumbents are being challenged, but so far the election rhetoric has been dull, with few organizations even bothering to debate in public forums.

Most of the campaigning is being done by candidates going door-to-door or by campaign literature, signs posted in yards and newspaper advertisements that challenge the records of incumbents or offers voters another choice.

If voter registration is any indication of the possible turnout, there are

almost 2,000 more voters in Hancock County this election, compared to July of last year.

Kendra Flowers, deputy circuit clerk and registrar, said at the close of July last year, there were 20,633 registered voters in Hancock County. This time, there are 22,418 on the voting rolls.

Although the voter turnout can't be predicted, Circuit Court Clerk Pam Metzler said voting is expected to go slow and the lines will be long because of the large number of candidates on the ballot. She urged voters to know the location of their voting precincts in advance, and to decide in advance whether they plan to vote the Dem-



Janita Cole of Waveland casts her absentee ballot at Hancock Circuit Clerk Pam Metzler's office Thursday.

VOTER--PAGE 19A

Incumbents face old, new challengers

BY ED LEPOMA

Incumbents face familiar and new challengers Tuesday when Hancock County voters go to the polls to select Democratic or Republican Party nominees.

Veteran state Rep. J.P. Compretta, who represents District 122, and District Attorney Cono Caranna are the old two Democrats who have no Democratic or Republican challengers in the upcoming election.

The sheriff's race is among the most heated, with incumbent Sheriff Ronnie Peterson attempting to win an

unprecedented sixth consecutive term.

Peterson, a Democrat, is being challenged for his party's nomination by Steve Garber, a former deputy sheriff who lost to Peterson four years ago. Other Democrats running for the office include George C. DeJarette, an auxiliary sheriff's deputy, businessman Burt Johnson, and Donald Watson, a detective with the Bay St. Louis Police Department.

Ray Murphy, businessman and former Bay St. Louis police chief, is among contenders seeking the

Republican nomination for sheriff. He lost to Peterson in the 1995 general election. Other Republican challengers include private investigator Julius A. Martin.

All five incumbent supervisors have drawn opponents.

In District 1, Democrat Jeep Ladner is again being challenged for the nomination by businessman G.W. Graham, whom he defeated in 1995, and businessman James T. Ward. There are no Republican candidates for the post.

INCUMBENTS--PAGE 20A

Schools chief suit dismissed

Judge throws out Bourgeois' claim

BY ED LEPOMA

An eleventh hour effort by Democratic candidate Myrna Ladner Bourgeois to disqualify a fellow opponent in Tuesday's primary election for Hancock County superintendent of education has been dismissed. On Thursday, Circuit Court Judge Kostas Vlahos dismissed Bourgeois' petition without a hearing.

It was the second time Vlahos had been asked to step into the superintendents race. In mid-May, he disqualified J.T. Ladner of Kiln as an independent candidate after 16 people testified that they either had not signed his qualifying petition or had signed the names of others, mostly spouses.

Bourgeois, who served one term as school superintendent from 1992-1996, alleged in a petition filed with the court Tuesday that fellow Democrat Mike Ladner had not properly qualified as a candidate because he did not obtain a certificate of eligibility from the Mississippi Department of Education.

Ladner said he didn't seek the eligibility certificate before the March 1 qualifying deadline because he didn't think he needed it, and he was informed by the Democratic Executive Committee and the Hancock County circuit clerk's office

CHIEF--PAGE 20A

Budget cuts may affect Stennis jobs

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS

Partners in Stennis is shocked to hear about the House of Representatives Appropriations Subcommittee's voting to cut NASA's Fiscal 2000 budget by \$1.325 billion.

Partners in Stennis issued the following statement Friday:

"We were shocked to hear about the U.S. House of Representatives Appropriations Subcommittee voting to cut NASA's Fiscal 2000 budget by \$1.325 billion, or about 11 percent from its requested funding.

"This severe cut would be devastating to our national space program and would bring about major cutbacks at the Stennis Space Center."

Center director Roy Estess said these potential slashes in the NASA budget would see the loss of several hundred jobs at SSC and bring about major cutbacks in the area of Space

STENNIS--PAGE 20A

Animals, crops feeling ill-effects of heatwave

BY ED LEPOMA

Many Hancock County residents welcomed the morning rain Friday, but the intense heat and high humidity continues to take its toll on crops and threaten area livestock.

Because of the thunderstorms, county extension agent Mike Keene says Hancock County is not experiencing drought conditions, but nevertheless, the blistering temperatures are affecting crops.

"Crops are beginning to suffer," said Keene. "The squash, tomatoes and eggplants are about burned up." Keene said okra and cucumbers are about the only vegetables able to withstand the extreme heat.

Keene said he had not had any reports about livestock deaths, but cautioned those with cattle and horse farms to take measures to cool down their herds.

"So long as we're not stressing them, the heat shouldn't bother them," Keene said.

He said cows usually seek shade under trees. "They lay up in the day and feed at night," he said. He added that cows, horses and other livestock should have access to clean, fresh water at all times.

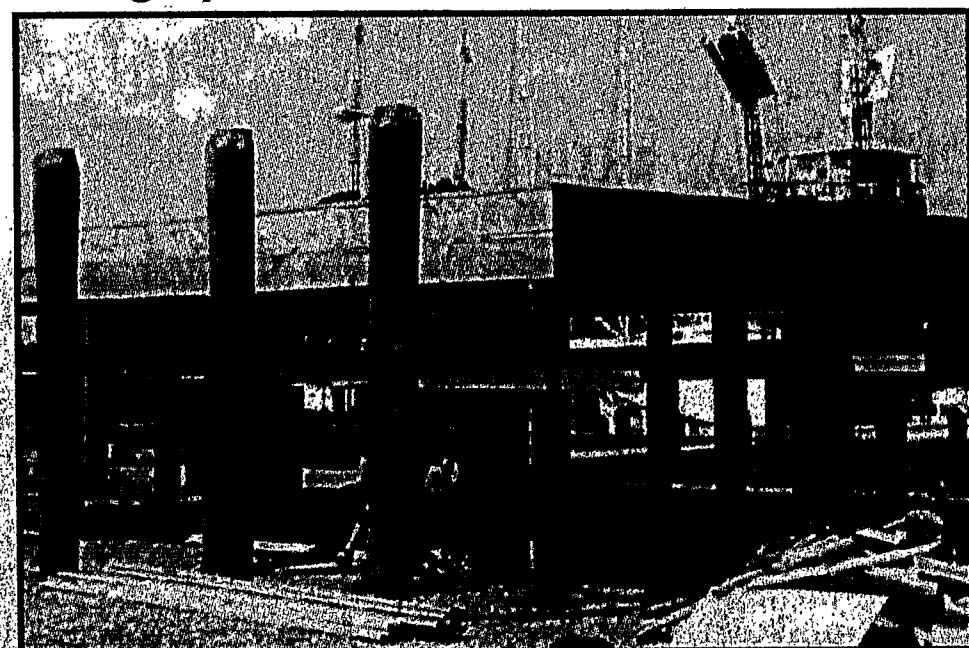
If horses are in stables, Keene suggests cooling them down with fans.

Oddly, Dr. Patrick Cleveland, an associate with Lee Veterinary Clinic in Kiln said, so far, he has treated fewer horses suffering from the heat than he did last year.

He said horses in the most danger are those that don't sweat, and suffer from a condition called "heave," which is akin to asthma. The horses simply have chronic obstructive pulmonary disease.

HEATWAVE--PAGE 19A

Going up



Workers with Panther Utilities of Bay St. Louis have begun to build the harbor-master's building at Hancock County's new Bayou Caddy Marina. The \$135,000 building will be handicapped accessible.

OBITUARIES

OLANDER J. HAAS
RANDLE N. HATTON
ROZENIA HODA
MYRTIS McCARDLE
UNDINE THOMAS**OLANDER J. HAAS**

Olander J. Haas, 80, of Kiln, died Friday, July 30, 1999, in Gulfport.

Mr. Haas was a native and lifelong resident of Kiln. He was a member of Annunciation Catholic Church in Kiln and was the former owner of O'Haas Grocery in Kiln.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Orianona Williams Haas; his parents, Jeremiah and Mary Hart-Haas; a son, John Alden Haas; and three daughters, Norma Farve, Marie Lee and Barbara Jewel Haas.

Survivors include two sons, U.S. Army Retired Sgt. 1st Class Melvin D. Haas of Colorado Springs, Colo., and John Edward Haas of Bay St. Louis; 11 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and a great-great-granddaughter.

Visitation will be today, 7-9 p.m. with recitation of the rosary at 8 p.m. at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis. A funeral procession will leave the funeral home Monday, Aug. 2 at 9:20 a.m. for celebration of a Mass of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. at Annunciation Catholic Church in Kiln.

Interment will follow at Bayou Coco Cemetery in Kiln.

RANDLE N. HATTON

Randle N. Hatton, 88, of Bay St. Louis, died Thursday, July 29, 1999, in Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Hatton was a native of Hazlehurst, Ga. and a long-time resident of Bay St. Louis. He was a member of First Baptist Church in Bay St. Louis, the Rotary Club in Bay St. Louis and the Carrollton Club, New Orleans, for 37 years. He was a Paul Harris Fellow and a past president and vice president. He was also a member of the Bay-Waveland Yacht Club, Pass Christian Golf Club and Woodmen of the World.

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He was preceded in death by a son, Randle Norman Hatton, Jr.; and his parents, Nathan Lott and Edna Brown Hatton.

Survivors include his wife, Gertrude Waldon Hatton of Bay St. Louis; and a sister, Lucille Hatton Brown of Duxbury, Mass.

Visitation will be today, 7-9 p.m. at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis. Funeral services will be conducted Monday, Aug. 2 at 2 p.m. in the funeral home chapel. Interment will follow in Gulf Coast Memorial Cemetery and Mausoleum in Bay St. Louis.

ROZENIA HODA

Rozenia Ladner Necaise Hoda, 88, of Kiln, died Friday, July 30, 1999 in Bay St. Louis.

Mrs. Hoda was a member of St. Matthew Catholic Church in White Cypress.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Ceville Necaise; her second husband, Leroy J. Necaise; her parents,

Armogene and Alphonsene Hoda Ladner; sons Lavell and Nelva Necaise; a daughter, Genevieve Necaise Ladner; a brother, Wesley Ladner; and sisters Luvenia, Lugenia and Azeline Ladner and Vieza Necaise.

Survivors include sons James Necaise Sr. of Bay St. Louis, Bernell Necaise of Kiln; daughters, Mildred Ladner of Kiln, Mardell Tomasich and Bertha Parker of Bay St. Louis and Janelle Bourgeois of Gulfport; 28 grandchildren, 39 great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild.

Visitation will be after 6 p.m. today at Riemann Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis with recitation of the rosary at 7 p.m.

Mass will be celebrated 11 a.m. Monday, Aug. 2, at St. Matthew Catholic Church in White Cypress where friends may call after 10 a.m. Burial will follow in the Alphonse Malley Memorial Cemetery.

MYRTIS McCARDLE

Myrtis McCARDLE, 79, of Lakeshore, died Saturday, July 31, 1999, in Slidell.

Arrangements are incomplete at the Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis, Miss.

UNDINE THOMAS

Undine Gunn Thomas, 87, of Pass Christian, died Thursday, July 29, 1999, in Gulfport.

Mrs. Thomas was a retired teacher and school administrator for the Pearl River, Stone, Forrest and Harrison counties. She was a former member of Eastern Star No. 72 and a member of Delta Kappa Gamma teachers sorority. She was a member of Long Beach Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, O. M. "Brownie" Thomas Sr.; and a son, O. M. Thomas Jr.

Survivors include two sons, James W. Thomas of Jacksonville, N.C., and Alan D. Thomas of Wiggins; two daughters, Mona T. Deslauriers of Orlando, Fla., and Cheri T. Nelson of Pass Christian; 20 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren.

Visitation was Friday evening at White Funeral Home in Lumberton. Services were conducted Saturday at the funeral home chapel with burial in Hickory Creek Cemetery.

**In Memoriam****In Loving Memory****POLLY MAZARAKIS**

June 7, 1922-Aug. 2, 1996)
(Jon Provost and Polly Mazarakis while filming "This Property is Condemned" in Bay St. Louis 1965.

Mother, you lived your life to the fullest, and you loved people. This (filming the movie) was a very happy time for you. Your memory makes us smile. We love you, and we miss you.

Your daughters,
Paula Crider, Austin, Texas
Cathie Crider, Bay St. Louis

**OLA holds registration;
begins classes Aug. 11**

Our Lady Academy will begin the 1999-2000 school year Wednesday, Aug. 11. The day will start at 7:50 a.m. and end at 3:14 p.m. Hot lunches and salads will be available in Cafe OLA.

Final registration day: Final registration will be Friday, Aug. 6 in Mercy Hall. Students will register according to the family's last name at these times:

A-G 9-10 a.m.; H-O, 10-11 a.m. and P-Z, 11 a.m.-noon.

On final registration day, parents are expected to pay one-tenth of the yearly charge for tuition and fees, according to the information sent home in June. Seniors will pay an additional graduation fee, and new students will purchase a school Bible and a lock.

Students will also purchase consumable paperback books/workbooks for English, Spanish, Latin and Religion. Schedules of classes will also be distributed to students on this day.

Added for the 1999-2000 school year is a Building and Improvement Fee of \$250. Parents have an option of selling five raffle tickets (\$50 each) on a \$5,000 raffle or paying the fee in cash. The \$250 fee is due in the office on or before Aug. 31.

OLA/BCE Capital Campaign Raffle

The \$5,000 raffle is an effort to help generate the funds required to begin Phase II and III of the OLA-BCE Capital Campaign which will include a new academic facility for OLA and a gymnasium to be used by both OLA and Bay Catholic Elementary.

OLA will hold the drawing for the \$5,000 raffle Sept. 3 at 3 p.m. on the OLA campus.

The raffle is open to any individual or business not connected with the school. One

does not need to be present to win. Call the school office (467-7048 for information.

Uniforms

Young Fashions, Inc. from Baton Rouge will set up shop on campus on registration day for the purchase of new uniform skirts, blouses, walking shorts and socks.

Young Fashions also has a retail location in the Hardy Court Center in Gulfport.

The OLA Booster Club will take orders for OLA maroon windbreaker jackets. The Campus Ministry will have a sale of used uniform skirts, shorts and blouses.

Orientation for new students

A reception and orientation will be held for all new students and their parents on Sunday Aug. 8 at 2 p.m. in the Our Lady of the Gulf Parish Community Center.

The OLA Junior/Senior Retreat Team and Student Council will give a presentation on OLA and give the students a tour of the campus.

The OLA Parent organization will speak to the parents and provide refreshments.

Staff development

OLA teachers and staff will have staff development and inservice days on Aug. 5, 6 and 9. All staff will attend the Hancock County Industry/Education Day, sponsored by the Hancock County Team of the Pro-Miss Institute of Leadership, on Aug. 5.

All new teachers will attend a Diocese of Biloxi Staff Development Day at Our Lady of Fatima School in Biloxi Aug. 6.

All staff will attend an OLA Staff Development Day at OLA Aug. 9, and the teachers will complete preparations in their classrooms Aug. 10.

**Housing director at Millsaps
offers packing list for students**

Thousands of students across the country will be packing their bags and heading off to college. Whether they are moving to a residence hall or living off-campus, many students have to decide what to take with them.

To help college students prepare for "the big move," Anita Sumrall, director of Student Housing for Millsaps College, has provided a packing list to get them started.

School supplies

Backpack, notebooks, dictionary and thesaurus, calculator, paper, scissors, tape dispenser, stapler, pens, pencils, paper clips, highlighters and other desk supplies — and don't forget your address book and some stationery and stamps to write home. You might also want to consider bringing a personal computer and printer.

Personal hygiene

Towels, band-aids, first-aid ointment, aspirin and other medications, toiletries (toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, hairbrush, shaver, shampoo, etc.) and a shower caddy, robe and shower shoes is you will be sharing a bathroom.

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"Tike Hike"

Sibling class, August 14, 3-4.

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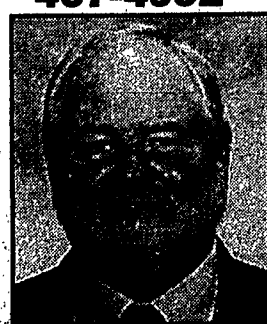


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District 4****Report Card '95-'99**

1. Pay Raises- first 6mos. in office. F

County workers small or none. F

2. Bond Issue- Over \$5 million for road paving. F

Using other materials instead of blacktop.

Over \$1 million for federally Mandated Juvenile Detention Center. Paid out-of-town architect \$80,000, then fired him. Still no detention Center.

Taxpayers in debt until 2017 for Bond Issue.

3. 400% Tax Increase F

4. Voted Away Authority. F

Didn't accept responsibility given him by voters to represent them.

5. Zoning-Political Manipulation. F

NASA selects Mississippi Space Services for Stennis contract

NASA has selected Mississippi Space Services (MSS) for award of a contract to provide facility operating services at the John C. Stennis Space Center.

The cost-plus-incentive-fee contract will cover a base period of three years beginning Aug. 23 with four one-year priced options. The total estimated value of the seven-year contract is \$325 million, including \$135 million for the base period and \$190 million for the option periods.

Mississippi Space Services is a joint venture comprised of Computer Sciences Corp. of El Segundo, Calif., and The IT Group, Inc. of Monroeville, Pa.

MSS will provide a broad range of facility engineering, maintenance and operations, institutional and logistics services in support of NASA's missions at Stennis, including rocket propulsion testing; commercial remote sensing; research and development in propulsion test technologies;

scientific and applied research in space technology development; technology utilization and commercialization programs, and earth and environmental sciences.

MSS will also support programs of other resident federal and state agencies located at Stennis that share and utilize the center's facilities and services.

Other members of the MSS team include Abacus Technology Corp., Chevy Chase, Md.; Information Dynamics, Inc., McLean, Va.; Madison Services, Inc., Madison, Miss.; and Occu-Health, Inc., Ellicott City, Md.

Stennis Space Center is NASA's lead center for rocket propulsion testing and for commercial remote sensing within the Earth Science Enterprise. NASA also functions as the host agency for more than 300 other organizations resident at Stennis.

Estess concerned about proposed NASA budget cuts

Roy Estess, director of the John C. Stennis Space Center in Hancock County is concerned about the potential NASA budget cuts for fiscal year 2000.

Estess said, "A House panel has recommended legislation that would cut \$1.4 billion from the fiscal year 2000 NASA budget. Reductions of this magnitude would have devastating effects on the space agency and would result in serious impacts on Stennis Space Center."

"Nationally, at the Agency level, we could see the closure of two or more NASA centers and a crippling effect on both the Space Shuttle and space station programs. Currently, only 8.10ths of one cent of every federal dollar goes into funding the

space program, while 18 cents of every dollar goes toward interest payments on the national debt.

"If you shut down NASA programs because of budget problems, you have not really solved the problem. In essence, the country would have turned its back on the future — which is space."

"Locally, Stennis Space Center would see major cutbacks in the areas of shuttle support, and the possible elimination of Earth Sciences and Commercial Remote Sensing programs. All Advanced Propulsion Development work would stop, and these proposed cuts would mean the loss of at least several hundred jobs."

Local resident's downed plane found

BY ED LEPOMA

Greenlandair, which provides flight information to pilots and passenger information began looking for Parker Rhett's twin-engine plane Monday and found the wreckage and victims more than 24 hours after the aircraft was reported missing.

The Diamondhead resident, who headed an aircraft sales and maintenance operation out of a hangar at Stennis International Airport, perished, along with a pilot he had hired to bring a plane he had purchased back to the United States.

According to reports on the Internet posted daily by Greenlandair, a search began Monday for the small twin-engine Beechcraft B-58 Baron, which took off from Reykjavik, Iceland at 10 a.m. Monday.

The flight plan was to take it to land in the Greenlandic capital of Nuuk, but the plane did

not arrive at its planned location because the report said the two men were forced to turn back when weather conditions became hazardous over the Greenland ice cap.

The report said the crew set a new course for Kulusuk on the east coast of Greenland, and were last heard from at 3 p.m. Monday when they had only a short way to go. They did not arrive at Kulusuk.

Rescue parties were forced to delay their search until the next day due to bad weather, and on Tuesday at 6:42 p.m., the wreck of the plane was spotted about three kilometers southeast of Kulusuk on the east coast of Greenland.

Both pilots were dead, and the man with Rhett was identified only as a British man, who had sold the plane to Rhett and had agreed to accompany him in the plane on the return trip to the United States.

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★ Provided Hancock County School superintendent's office building.

★ Hancock County Kiln Library Project. (Being built with grant money as well as county millage)

★ Paved Texas Flat Road to McLeod Park.

★ Re-built and completed Washington St. pier and boat launch.

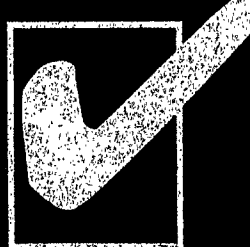
★ Established Hancock County Court Annex Building.

★ Major road and drainage improvements.

★ Made additional improvements to parks and recreation facilities.

★ Worked with economic developer to bring major industry into the county.

★ Gained national recognition for sewerage development in all rural areas south of I-10.



I am asking for your continued support and vote on August 3 in the Democratic primary so that I may continue the great works in progress. Thank you.

Steve Seymour

Pd Pol Adv by Steve Seymour

Editorial

It is important to vote Tuesday

Over the past five months candidates have been making their plea for your vote on Tuesday in the Democratic and Republican primaries.

Nominations will be made in the respective primaries for the candidates who will vie with Independents and other parties in the November General Election.

Why should someone vote Tuesday? Well, one of the main answers is that this is the preliminary process for the selection of the leaders of our state and local governments for the next four years.

Nominations will be made for our state's governor, senators, representatives, supervisors, sheriff, justice court judges, constables, etc.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday with a run-off date of August 24, set for the primaries if necessary.

It is up to the qualified electors as to who will represent us on a state and local level for four years.

Be sure to remember to vote Tuesday, and you can help by reminding your family, neighbors and friends.

You can make a difference, and remember, every vote does count.

ASK THE V.A.

By Donald Mauffray
CVSO

High school diplomas for World War II veterans

Veterans groups in Massachusetts, working with local school boards and school districts, have implemented a program which awards high school diplomas to those veterans who left high school prior to completing graduation requirements in order to serve in World War II.

Local school boards and school districts must approve participation in the program. And, of course, proof of military service during World War II must be provided by the veteran or his/her family.

High school records and the veteran's documentation are reviewed by the school boards or districts. They then decide whether to award a high school diploma to the veteran.

Massachusetts veterans groups state that this is an excellent program which provides a great sense of pride and satisfaction to those elderly World War II veterans who are awarded high school diplomas. In most cases the veteran is awarded the diploma in the presence of his/her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mississippi State Superintendent of Education Richard L. Thompson stated in a letter

dated June 22 that Mississippi school districts and local school boards set the exact requirements for graduation from high school or high schools in their school districts.

Therefore, if they want to honor Mississippi World War II veterans in the same manner, it is up to each school district or school board to make that decision.

I have contacted the superintendents of both the Bay-Waveland School District and the Hancock County School District.

The decision of the respective school boards on whether to implement this program will be forthcoming.

Our nation's World War II veterans are dying at the rate of 1,000 a day. Time is growing short to honor these individuals who have given so much for our country and who made America what it is today.

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Still the only one

The year was 1956 when this photo was taken of Don Larsen, right, six days after he twirled a perfect game in the World Series against the Brooklyn Dodgers. Larsen posed with now Lakeshore resident Wilbur LaFleur when he was a waiter at the New Orleans Roosevelt Hotel's famous Blue Room. Larsen's history making perfect game in a World Series still stands today. LaFleur said it was a tremendous thrill to have a photo taken with Larsen and it is one of his most prized keepsakes. (Photo courtesy of Wilbur LaFleur of Lakeshore). The Echo welcomes photos older than 25 years for publication. They will be returned to their owners.

Be Sure To Vote Tuesday!



"CUEVAS' QUOTES"

By Ellis C. Cuevas

In talking to the candidates, all agree that this has been a very long, long campaign for local and state elections.

In prior elections of this magnitude, there was only a 30-day final filing deadline prior to the primaries before the election.

The new laws passed in Jackson changed the deadline to five months prior to the primaries. This additional four months has really extended the election process.

Many individuals, along with me, think the five months qualifying before the primaries is a very long time. Some say that 60 days would be considered ample.

Anyway, Tuesday is election day, and now is the time for the qualified electors to select their favorites in their respective primaries.

Get out and vote and remind your relatives and friends to vote.

Hats off to Raymos McMillion, Hancock County Chamber of Commerce Member Services Committee chair and his committee members.

The reason is because the 2nd annual Hancock County Chamber of Commerce Business and Industry EXPO's slots are all sold out.

The number of participants has tripped over last year, as there are some 72 vendors already committed to displaying their wares.

The EXPO will be held on Thursday, August 26, 3 to 7 p.m. at the Hancock County Civic Center on Longfellow Road.

Amy Gregory, chamber executive director, reports there will be visitors from as far away as Jackson, Hattiesburg, the entire coast and even many from neighboring Louisiana.

Visitors to the EXPO also have an opportunity of walking away with a \$1,000 grand prize. In order to qualify for the \$1,000 drawing they have to visit at least half of the vendors.

There is an advanced entry fee of \$1, or \$2 for the general public at the door.

Advanced tickets can be purchased at the chamber office Monday through Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. until noon prior to the EXPO.

Being able to participate in the Business and Industry EXPO is just one of the many benefits of being a member of the Hancock County.

I hope to see you at the EXPO on August 26.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Chamber needs adoptees for Adopt-A-Street Program

Dear Community Residents:

We are contacting you on behalf of the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce Beautification Committee regarding our Adopt-A-Street Program.

As part of its anti-litter campaign, the Hancock Chamber Beautification Committee is looking for volunteer groups and families to adopt streets that they will keep litter-free.

To sign up for a section throughout the county, volunteers can contact Naomi Martin at 467-2537. Naomi has volunteered to help the Beautification Committee by keeping up with the master list of those who participate in the chamber's Adopt-A-Street Program.

The Hancock Chamber will recognize all volunteers with a certificate and public notification in the Sea Coast Echo and the chamber monthly newsletter.

Supplies and anti-litter signs are available at the chamber office, 412 Hwy. 90 in Bay St. Louis.

For information on the Chamber Beautification Committee's anti-litter campaign, please call the chamber office at 467-9048.

Sincerely,
Ellis C. Cuevas
Beautification Chairman
Amy Gregory
Chamber Executive Director

FROM THE SENATE

By Senator Trent Lott

The Mississippi connection

You have heard the phrase: "all politics is local." There is a lot of truth in that. Beyond the headlines, sound bites and partisan debates lies the everyday business of running our government.

It is a process which is not always riveting, or controversial, but when impacts our state tremendously. Take the regular appropriation bills which Congress must complete each year. These annual funding packages, which keep the government going, are a good example of how national legislation can be dissected to reveal local components.

Passing these appropriation bills is my top priority. In addition to our state's influence on broader national programs, the measure contains numerous projects specifically connected to Mississippi, but you may not hear about them.

If you do, it may be sporadic. Frankly, these projects sometimes extend far beyond our media's limited attention span. In fact, these projects sometimes take years from proposal to final completion, but they are foremost on the minds of myself and my staff each year.

Let's start with this year's Department of Transportation Appropriation Bill. It contains funding for various improvements at our state's airports, part of a continuing effort to improve out state's commercial and general aviation facilities.

Impacted airports in this year's bill include Jackson International Airport, Golden Triangle Regional Airport, Meridian's Key Field, Hattiesburg-Laurel Regional Airport, Brookhaven/Lincoln County Airport, Jackson's Hawkins Field, the Olive Branch Airport and airports at Philadelphia, Stennis Space Center, Tishomingo County, Waynesboro and Tunica.

The measure also contains funding for the City of Jackson's mass transit system, including an initiative to construct a multi-modal transit center in downtown Jackson, as well as delineating other multi-modal projects around the country, including a multi-modal proposal for Harrison County.

Within the Energy and Water Appropriation Bill, Mississippi also has a great deal of interest. In this measure lies \$315 million of key funding for ongoing flood control projects, particularly along the Mississippi River and Yazoo River Basin.

Communities like Greenville, Vicksburg, Yazoo City and Greenwood are impacted by this package. The bill also contains funding for levee development and maintenance dredging which affects harbors in Biloxi, Gulfport and Pascagoula, as well as for work at Okatibbee Reservoir in Lauderdale County.

General construction projects are also named in this bill, including the Natchez Bluff Stabilization Project, which seeks to preserve historic structures along the Mississippi

River at Natchez.

If you think the Foreign Operations Appropriation Bill has nothing to do with Mississippi — think again. This bill contains \$500,000 of proposed funding for a joint venture between Mississippi State University and Marmara University in Istanbul, Turkey to develop water resources.

It also contains funding for patrol boats to be used in international drug-interdiction efforts — boats that will be built by Mississippi workers.

Finally the Commerce, State and Justice Departments Appropriation bill provides almost as many projects for our state as the transportation appropriation.

This included \$30 million to fund the national Police Corps effort — a police training program in which Mississippi is leading the way, and which could make its regional base in Mississippi.

It also includes appropriations to improve public safety technology, including efforts to upgrade campus security at Delta State University, and assist public safety technology upgrades in Ocean Springs and in Jackson County.

These are just a few examples of Mississippi's local interest in the affairs of Capitol Hill. Appropriations measures are certainly not set in tone until the beginning of the new fiscal year, but changes are they will be close to the final mark.

As your Senator, it is my job to make sure Mississippi gets its share of these marks. So far, I am pleased with our progress.

Senator Lott welcomes any questions and/or comments about this column. Write to: U.S. Senator Trent Lott, 487 Russell Building, Washington, D.C. 20510. (Attention: Press Office.)

Stay up with Jerry and watch the stars come out.

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Some frequently asked questions about elections

Here are a few common election questions:

Prohibitions against campaigning at the polls

It is unlawful for any candidate for elective office or any representative of a candidate to post or distribute cards, posters or other campaign literature within 150 feet of any entrance to a building in which an election is being conducted.

It is also unlawful for a candidate or his representative to appear at any polling place armed or uniformed or to display any badge or credentials except as may be issued by the managers of a precinct.

Wearing T-shirts

Wearing of a T-shirt with a candidate's name and/or picture on it within 150 feet of any entrance to a building in which an election is being conducted constitutes the posting of campaign literature and is prohibited.

Such T-shirts must be covered or removed before a voter comes within 150 feet of any entrance to a building in which an election is being conducted.

Use of sample ballots

It is permissible for an individual voter to bring a sample ballot into the polling place for the

voter's own use as a reminder of the candidate(s) for whom he or she intends to vote.

A voter, however, cannot be permitted to use the sample ballot as campaign literature in attempting to influence other voters within the polling place.

Assistance in the voting booth

Any voter who says he/she is blind, physically disabled, or cannot read or cannot write may receive assistance. No other reasons are valid.

In order to receive assistance, the voter must tell the managers he/she needs help to mark the ballot, state one of the above reasons as to why help is needed, and pick someone to help him/her.

The voter must tell the managers he/she needs help. The voter can have anyone help mark his/her ballot, except his/her employer or the employer's representative, or a representative of any union of which he/she is a member.

A request for help should be honored unless it obviously appears to be untrue.

When to vote

The polls are open 7 a.m.-7 p.m. each election day.

No "Cross-voter voting"

A voter may vote in either party's primary, and cast a ballot for that party's nominee to the general election. If no candidate receives a majority of the votes in a primary, a run-off is held three weeks later between the top two vote-getters.

A voter who votes in the primary election of one party may not "cross over" to vote in the run-off election of another party.

Closing the polls and counting the ballots

When the polls have been closed, the managers shall publicly open the boxes and immediately proceed to count the ballots. The managers must read aloud the names of the person voted for, and those names shall be taken down and called by the designated managers.

During the counting of the ballots, all the proceedings must be in fair and full view of the voting public. However, there must not be unnecessary interference, delay, or encroachment upon the good order of the duties and proceedings of the managers of the election.

Candidates or their duly authorized representatives shall have the right to reasonably

view and inspect the ballots as they are taken from the box and counted, and to reasonably view and inspect tally sheets, papers, and other documents used in the election.

For help with any election question, contact the Secretary of State's Office at 601-359-6359 or 800-829-6786.

Re-elect
LEO E. LADNER
Hancock County Constable East
August 3, 1999

Graduate of Law Enforcement Academy
24 years experience in law enforcement

Thanks For Your Vote And Support

Paid political ad by Leo E. Ladner

I'm sorry if I missed you.



I have tried my hardest to see everyone in Hancock County, but time has run out.

Please vote for me on the Aug. 3rd Democratic Primary to be your next tax assessor/collector.

With 14 years of experience as your deputy tax assessor, this qualifies me to serve you, the citizens of Hancock County for the next four years.

Your vote does make a difference.

Caroline

Paid political ad by Caroline Adam

Hancock County Precincts and Voting Locations

PRECINCTS:

District 1

Ansley
Lakeshore

Clermont Harbor
Arlington

Waveland East

District 2

Leetown
Flat Top
Catahoula
Pearlington
Bayou Phillip

Waveland West

District 3

Crane Creek
Standard
Dedeaux
North Bay West
Diamondhead East

District 4

Kiln West
West Shoreline Park
City Hall
South Bay

District 5

Central School

Courthouse
Edwardsville
Fenton
Kiln East
North Bay East
Hancock N. Central

Diamondhead West

VOTING LOCATIONS:

Community Center, Ansley Road
Gulfview School, intersection Lakeshore and Lower Bay Road
Methodist Church, Ioor Street
Center on Dicks Street, between railroad tracks and U.S. 90, Waveland
City Hall Annex, 307 Coleman

Community Center, Leetown Road
Community Center, Indian Ridge
Miss. 43, east side of Browns Road
Charles B. Murphy gym, Miss. 604
Community Center, US-90 by Hayward Spiers Auto
Waveland Elementary, St. Joseph Street

Community Center, Hwy. 603 & 53
Volunteer Fire Department, Hwy. 603
Old Dedeaux School, Standard-Dedeaux Road
Bay Senior High, Blue Meadow Road
Diamondhead Community Center

Community Center, Hwy. 43
Community Center, Kiln-Waveland Cutoff Road
Old Bay St. Louis City Hall, Second Street
Christ Episcopal School, 912 S. Beach

Presbyterian Church, 122 Ulman Ave., Bay St. Louis
County Courthouse, Main Street
National Guard Armory, Longfellow Drive
Community Center, Kiln-DeLisle Road
Annunciation School, Kiln-DeLisle Road
Bay St. Louis Library, US-90
Hancock North Central Elementary, Cuevas Town Road
Diamondhead Community Center

To the People of Hancock County:

I would like the opportunity to serve the people of Hancock County as District 4 Supervisor based on my qualifications and accomplishments. Please consider the following:

- ~11 Years on the Hancock County School Board
- ~25 Years in the Insurance Business
- ~9 Years owner/operator of Lyons Insurance Agency
- ~Chairman of the North Hancock Business Association
- ~Past member of Hancock County Library Board
- ~Past memener of Hancock County Equine Association



Billie Lyons

Let's work together to make Hancock County a better place to live.

YOUR VOTE ON AUG. 3 WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED!

ELECT BILLIE LYONS SUPERVISOR - DISTRICT 4

Thank you for your support!

Billie Lyons

Ed Pol Adv by Billie Lyons

Re-Elect
Philip
Moran
SUPERVISOR DIST. #5



**"Strong Leadership
Continuing To
Make A Difference
for District 5 and
Hancock County!"**

Dear District 5 Voters,

Four years ago I asked for your vote and support to become your supervisor. I knew that we were facing the most challenging times in Hancock County's history. I felt that the combination of my successful business background and my lifetime of living right here in District 5 had given me the experience and the insight to face these new challenges. I was fortunate to have gained your support and was elected to be your voice in county government.

During these last four years we managed to enact a comprehensive road program, expanded our parks, increased our law enforcement presence, created an "Are You Okay" program for our seniors, helped bring new major industries into our county, expanded our county library system, passed a comprehensive county zoning plan, expanded our county water and sewer systems, and took a hard stand against building a dump for out-of-state garbage here in our community. These are just a few of the things we have been able to accomplish with your help during the past four years.

The next four years will present even greater challenges for our future. We need strong, experienced leadership to continue making the difference in District 5 and all of Hancock County. With your continued support in the Democratic Primary this Tuesday, I will continue to work with each of you to help build a better future for all of us in Hancock County.

Philip

**PLEASE VOTE THIS TUESDAY IN THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY
YOUR VOTE AND SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED**

Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Philip Moran

BESTSELLERS

The Hancock County Library System reports the following books listed on the New York Times Bestseller List have been ordered by the system's libraries. The initials in parentheses following the descriptions stand for the library branch(es) at which the books are available: B=Bay; W=Waveland; K=Kilm; P=Pearlington; NA=Not Available.

FICTION

- HANNIBAL**, by Thomas Harris. (Delacorte \$27.95) Seven years after his escape the fiendish psychiatrist Hannibal Lecter is still at large. (B)
- GRANNY DAN**, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte \$19.95) A woman learns the secrets of her grandmother's past in czarist Russia. (BWP)
- MOTHER OF PEARL**, by Melinda Haynes. (Hyperion, \$23.95) The lives of a 28-year-old black man and a 15-year-old white girl converge in Petal, Miss. in the 1950's. (BKPW)
- WHITE OLEANDER**, by Janet Fitch. (Little, Brown, \$24) The ordeals of growing up as experienced by a teenage girl whose single mother murders a lover. (BKWP)
- HARRY POTTER AND THE CHAMBERS OF SECRETS**, by J. K. Rowling. (Levine/Scholastic \$17.95) A British boy finds trouble when he returns to a witchcraft school. (B)
- HARRY POTTER AND THE SORCERER'S STONE**, by J. K. Rowling. (Levine/Scholastic, \$16.95) A Scottish boy, neglected by his relatives, finds his fortune attending a school of witchcraft. (B)
- THE SOLDIER SPIES**, by W. E. B. Griffin. (Putnam, \$25.95) The third volume of the "Men at War" series, about O.S.S. agents during World War II (BP)

- LAKE NEWS**, by Barbara Delinsky. (Simon & Schuster, \$34) To escape a scandal in the big city, a talented singer flees to her seemingly idyllic hometown (BPW)

- THE TESTAMENT**, by John Graham. (Doubleday, \$27.95) A reclusive billionaire, a burned-out lawyer and a missionary are brought together by a startling secret. (BKW)

- THE GIRL WHO LOVED TOM GORDON**, by Stephen King. (Scribner, \$16.95) When a young girl gets lost in the woods, she is saved by her spiritual association with a relief pitcher for the Boston Red Sox. (B)

NON-FICTION

- SHADOW**, by Bob Woodward. (Simon & Schuster, \$27.50) How the Watergate scandal affected the Administrations of Richard Nixon's five successors. (B)
- THE GREATEST GENERATION**, by Tom Brokaw. (Random House, \$24.95) A sportswriter tells of his old college mentor, who was near death's door. (BWK)
- TUESDAYS WITH MORRIE**, by Mitch Albom. (Doubleday, \$19.95) A sportswriter tells of his weekly visits to his old college mentor, who was near death's door. (B)
- ENCORE PROVENCE**, by Peter Mayle. (Knopf, \$23) The author of "A Year in Provence" recounts further adventures in the south of France. (B)
- I AIN'T GOT TIME TO BLEED**, by Jesse Ventura. (Villard, \$19.95) Reflections on politics and other subjects. (B)
- THE ART OF HAPPINESS**, by the Dalai Lama and Howard C. Cutler. (Riverhead, \$22.95) What

Buddhist doctrines and common sense tell us about dealing with everyday problems. (B)

- THE FIRST WORLD WAR**, by John Keegan. (Knopf, \$33) A military historian recounts the 1914-18 conflict from the viewpoint of the strategists and the men in the trenches. (B)

- THE MAJORS**, by John Feinstein. (Little, Brown, \$25) A journalist reports on the 1998 Masters, U.S. Open, British Open and P.G.A. golf tournaments. (B)

- EVERY MAN A TIGER**, by Tom Clancy with Chuck Horner. (Putnam, \$27.95) The novelist and a retired Air Force General examine the Persian Gulf war. (BW)

- BELLA TUSCANY**, by Frances Mayes. (Broadway, \$25) An American writer remembers a spring and summer spent in the romantic

sections of Italy. (B)

Advice, How-to and Miscellaneous

- SUZANNE SOMERS' GET SKINNY ON FABULOUS FOOD**, by Suzanne Somers. (Crown, \$24) A diet regimen to help people lose weight and remain healthy. (B)

- SUGAR BUSTERS**, by H. Leighton Steward et al. (Ballantine \$22) A diet designed for losing weight, increasing energy and combating disease. (BKW)

- LIVE NOW, AGE LATER**, by Isadore Rosenfeld. (Warner, \$24) A physician's advice about slowing the effects of aging. (B)

- BODY FOR LIVE**, by Bill Phillips with Michael D'Orso. (Harper Collins, \$25) Ways to improve one's body and one's life. (B)

SBA lenders conference

The U.S. Small Business Administration has scheduled its annual lenders conference for Aug. 19-20. The two-day conference will be held at the Biloxi Grand Bayview Hotel.

Small business lenders who are interested in SBA's Guaranty Loans and other programs are encouraged to attend this training.

For registration information, contact Gary Reed in SBA's Gulfport branch office at 228-863-4449.

The U.S. Small Business Administration, established in 1953, provides financial, technical and management assistance to help Americans start, run and grow their businesses.

With the portfolio of business loans, loan guarantees and disaster loans worth more than \$45 billion, SBA is the nation's largest single financial backer of small businesses.

SBA also plays a major role in the government's disaster relief efforts by making low-interest recovery loans to both homeow-

ners and businesses.

For information on SBA programs and services, call the SBA Gulfport branch office at the above number or visit the web site at www.sba.gov.

All of SBA's programs and services are extended to the public on a nondiscriminatory basis.

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Supervisor
District One

AN EXPERIENCED BUSINESSMAN AND MARINE CORPS VETERAN WHO WILL:

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- Be a Team Member
- Hold Regular Community Meetings
- Strive to Lower Taxes
- Work to Build Community Center & Recreational Area in District One
- Work to Better Serve Our Senior Citizens

"ALLOW ME TO BE YOUR VOICE IN DISTRICT ONE."
Thank You-James T. Ward

Pd Pol Adv By James T. Ward

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No# 132

L.J. "Larry"
Peterson

Justice Court West

18 years of Law Enforcement

Veteran of U. S. Marines

Member of American Legion

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Board Serving 3rd term.

Helping lead Hancock County Schools into the 21st century making it one of the leaders in technology the U.S.A.

Pd Pol Adv by L.J. "Larry" Peterson

List of candidates filing

late campaign finance reports

Mississippi Code Ann. § 23-25-811 (1972) requires the Secretary of State's Office to compile a list of all candidates for the Legislature or any statewide office who fail to file a campaign disclosure report on the day set by law and to disseminate the list to the members of the Mississippi Press Association within two working days after such reports are due.

The most recent report from candidates facing opposition in the Aug. 3 primary election was due Tuesday, July 27 at 5 p.m.

All candidates for legislative, state district and statewide office and all political committees are subject to fines for filing reports late or for failure to file reports.

Beginning with the 10th calendar day after the filing deadline, the Secretary of State assesses a fine of \$50 per day for up to 10 days for failure to file a campaign finance disclosure report. This fine is per day and part of any day until a valid report is delivered to the Secretary of State.

The next report for candi-

dates participating in the Aug. 24 runoff election is due Aug. 17, 1999.

Miss. Code Ann §23-15-811 (1972) states that any candidate or any other person who shall willfully and deliberately and substantially violate the provisions and prohibitions of (the law) shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine in a sum not to exceed \$3,000 or imprisoned for not longer than six months or by both fine and imprisonment.

In addition, the code states that "no candidate shall be certified as nominated for election or as elected to office unless and until he files all reports required by this article due as of the date of certification and that no candidate who is elected to office shall receive any salary or other remuneration for the office unless and until he files all reports required by this article due as of the date such salary or remuneration is payable."

57 candidates did not file reports by Tuesday, July 27. 18 of these have since filed

Your HANCOCK COUNTY Republican Candidates

	State Senate District 46 Dave Koger		State Senate District 46 James K. Overstreet		State Senate District 46 Johnnie Richard
	Supervisor District 5 David Depreo		Supervisor District 5 Danny N. Johnson		Supervisor District 5 Perry Berens
	State Representative District 93 Gerald Switzer		Supervisor District 3 John Caulkins		County Coroner Terese Richardson
	Tax Collector/ Assessor Candee L. Breaux		Tax Collector/ Assessor E. Lee Bennett		County Coroner Blake C. Browne
	Supervisor District 3 Lisa Cowand		County Sheriff Ray J. Murphy		Justice Court West Harry B. Ward
	County Constable Brian Cuevas		County Sheriff Julius A. Martin		County Constable Linda Buckley
					Chancery Clerk Kyle R. Ahlers

Vote August 3rd

Vote Republican for a New Change

Paid for by the Hancock County Republican Party



Vote for a family man

The family of Cedric Ladner is seeking your support on August 3, to help elect their husband and dad Hancock County Justice Court Judge West.

(Paid political adv. by Annette, Chae and Chance Ladner)

Central Avenue Intersection to be detoured Wednesday

Traffic will be detoured around the intersection of Central Avenue and Nicholson Avenue in Waveland Wednesday, Aug. 4.

Mississippi Power company crews will be working to upgrade lines around the intersection for approximately six hours beginning around 7:30 a.m.

Inclement weather delayed the project previously. If weather interferes on Wednesday the work will be done Thursday, Aug. 5.

"We appreciate the city working with us on rerouting traffic so we can complete this project as efficiently and with as little inconvenience as possible," said Kurt Brautigam, Mississippi

Powers spokesman. "We're changing out lines in the area and won't have to take an outage, but in order to do that the crews need to have full access to the intersection."

Area motorists will see detour signs indicating when the project is underway. Alternate routes to use to bypass the intersection include: Jeff Davis for cars traveling south on Nicholson; Sonier for cars going north on Nicholson; Hoffman for motorists heading west on Central; and Mollere for those going east on Central.

The intersection will remain open if inclement weather forces postponement of the project.

Jitney Jungle celebrates first \$1,000,000 winner

There is a celebration going on at the Jitney Jungle Store in Columbus, Miss., not to mention the home of Jo Ann Spinks.

The long-time Jitney Jungle customer captured the first \$1,000,000 grand prize ticket Monday in the supermarket chain's \$8 million "Golden Opportunity" game which boasts unbelievable odds of winning, along with an equally impressive list of prizes.

The Jitney customer has enjoyed participating in each of the store's 33 games and claims that she "knew in her heart" that continuing to visit the store and play the game would eventually pay off.

"We're thrilled to have the

million dollar winner here in our community," said Max Stillman, store manager. "There are still three \$1,000,000 grand prizes left."

Jitney Jungle Stores of America, Inc., operates 197 supermarkets, 10 liquor stores and 55 gasoline stations located throughout Mississippi, Alabama and Louisiana and in Tennessee, Florida and Arkansas.

BEST PAWN
Jewelry

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Poll workers for Democratic primary

Mike Benvenuti, Hancock County Democratic Executive chairman, announces the following poll workers for the Tuesday, August 3, 1999 Democratic Primary Election.

Anasley 1
Jane P Thornton P/R
Emelda Miles/ Bailiff R
Tina Moran

Lakeshore 2
Sharon Huffman R
Doris Jackson P/R
Gayle Bieller Bailiff
Christina Renner

Clermont Harbor 3
Karen Sylvest P/R
Madonna Boos Bailiff
Karen Zahmiser R
Ray B. Stewart

Arlington 4
Earl McCleod P/R Bailiff
Mary Wager
Theresa Wager
Julie Lagasse R

Waveland East 5
Earlene Ruhr P/R
Sandra L. Harris R
Shirley Cox
J. Ray Barrett Bailiff

Lee Town 6
Agnes Fleming P/R
Charlene Seal R
Audie Ladner Bailiff

Flat Top 7
Frankie Moran Bailiff
Natalie Cuevas P/R
Peggy Ladner R

Catahoula 8
Melissa Ladner P/R
June Cuevas R
Jean Necaise Bailiff
Edna Harrington

Pearlington 9
Oscar Louise Holden P/R
Gussie Crawford Bailiff
Mary Lee Evans
Mark Wilkinson R

Bayou Philip 10
Alice Spears P/R
Tommy Spears R Bailiff
Pauline B. Reid

Waveland West 11
Kimberly Bradley P/R
Edna B. Puckett R
Janet Powers Bailiff
Spring Burgess

Crane Creek 12
Ida Ladner R
Gloria Shaw Bailiff
Madeline Knight P/R
Carolyn Bermond

Standard 13
George Manul Bailiff
Amy S. Flynt R
Myra Ladner P/R
Linda Ladner

Dedaux 14
Mildred Sellier R
Carolyn Ladner P/R
Eula Ladner
Helen Necaise Bailiff

North Bay West 15
Charles Staehle P/R
Vicky Staehle R
Judith Reeves Bailiff
Charles Jackson

Diamondhead East 16
Patsy Thomas
Janice Fischer Bailiff
Gene Scafide P/R
Andrew Scafide R

Kiln West 17
Ruth Haas P/R
Noel Moran R
Elyse E. Depreo Bailiff
Jeanette Necaise

West Shoreline Park 18
Brenda L. Corkern Bailiff
Nora Lafontaine P/R
Joyce Winslow R
Ann Winslow

City Hall 19
Ruth Davis Bailiff R
Mamie L. Drummond P/R

Doris Williams
Marian Davis Bailiff

South Bay 20
Alvina Nichols P/R
Versia Malley
Karen Frederick
Marcella Launeaux R
Mike Lee Bailiff

Central School 21
Eugene F. Monti Bailiff P/R
Linda Beauregard R
Betty Nameth
Elizabeth W. Swick

Courthouse 22
Dorothy DiBenedetto P/R
Mary E. Ladner
Lana Noonan Bailiff
Shelia Lang R

Edwardsville 23
Thaddeus Jackson P/R
Diane Schwartz R
J. Kent Lott Bailiff
Henry Otis

Fenton 24
Arlene Hoda P/R
Dewa Hoda Bailiff R
Clara Hoda
Amy Cuevas

Kiln East 25
Lena Bennett P/R
J. Kenny Lott Bailiff
Patsy Speights R
Birdie M. Ladner

North Bay East 26
Lucille Bourgeois P/R
Alfred J. Geoffrey Bailiff
Anna Mae Geoffrey R
Jane Williams

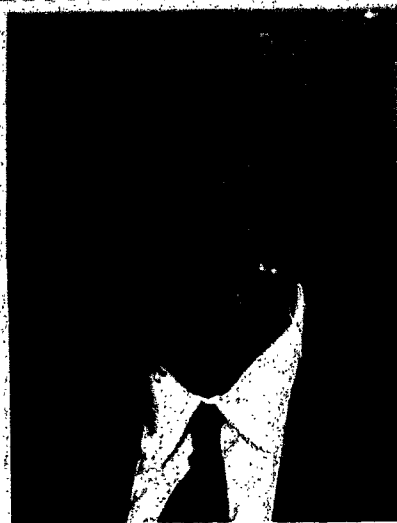
Hancock North Central 27
Amy Pavolini P/R
Sarah Shiyou R
Sandra Ladner
Harrison Ladner Bailiff

Diamondhead West 28
Marilyn Wild P/R
Dottie Geroux R
Tony Calcaterra Bailiff

ELECT

JODY COMPRETTE

SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 5



Hancock County is one of the fastest growing counties in the state. We need the right people, steering us in the right direction. I believe that I can provide the leadership to ensure continued growth into the 21st century.

- ◆ Lifelong resident of Hancock County
- ◆ Graduate of St. Stanislaus H.S.
- ◆ BFA University of Mississippi
- ◆ Member Hancock County Chamber of Commerce (Ambassador Comm. Chair)
- ◆ Member Diamondhead Business & Professional Association
- ◆ Member Coast Chamber of Commerce
- ◆ Leader in community activities

"I will use my work experience in the private sector to bring accessibility, accountability and financial responsibility to Hancock County government."

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(Paid political ad by Jody Compretta)

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Lyonie "Jeep" LADNER, Sr.

For Your Full Time Supervisor District 1, Hancock County



A Person Who:

- § Individuals Can Talk To On A Personal Basis
- § Cares For The People And Their Needs
- § Knows The County And Its Needs
- § Strives To Better Hancock County During Its Time Of Growth

Vote for a person with experience who will work for and with the people of Hancock County.

Re-elect Lyonie "Jeep" Ladner, Sr. as your Supervisor for District 1.

(Paid political ad by "Jeep" Ladner)



ELECT JUDGE KELLY WALKER

HANCOCK COUNTY, EAST JUSTICE COURT JUDGE

Kelly C. Walker of Kiln has announced her candidacy for Justice Court Judge, Hancock County, East, in the Democratic primary.

Walker is a participating trial attorney in Hancock and Harrison Counties with over 14 years courtroom experience. She has served as Municipal Court Judge, Pro Tem, in the city of Long Beach for over five years.

Kelly Walker obtained her Bachelor's Degree from the University of Southern Mississippi in the fields of Paralegal Studies and Criminal Justice. She received her Law Degree from the University of Mississippi.

In addition to practicing law, Kelly trains horses and operates a small farm in Hancock County with her only son, Logan.

In announcing her candidacy walker stated, "The Justice Court is used more that other court levels by laymen pleading their own cases without the benefit of a lawyer. With thousands of cases coming through our Justice Court System, including felony cases, we need a Justice Court Judge that has a formal education in the law as well as an education and experience in the Civil and Criminal Rules, the Rules of Evidence, the Rules of Court, and actual trial work."

Just as important is the Judge's compassion and understanding of people and her sense of fairness and consistency in decision making.

(Pd Pol Adv by Kelly Walker)

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For the Future of Hancock County

Elect Steve Garber as your Sheriff



In the next week you will be making a very important decision for you and your family's future. Let me ask you a few questions and see how they could effect you and your family's lives.

1. Are you concerned about the drug problems in Hancock County?

2. Is enough being done to teach our children about the use of drugs, alcohol and tobacco? Can we stem this tide?

3. Should the response time when you have the need to call your Sheriff be shortened?

4. Do you think something can and should be done about teenage drinking?

5. Is there enough patrolling in your area?

6. Do you think everything is being done to protect your children whether at home, school, or in your community?

7. Is there enough investigation of theft and robberies?

8. Do you believe your elected Sheriff

is your servant—that it is his duty to show professional service & courtesy and to respond to your concerns?

9. Should your elected Sheriff keep you apprised as to the status of any case concerning you and your family?

10. Do you believe there should be equal and fair law enforcement for everyone?

11. Should we do more to stop motorists from littering our roads and highways?

I hope you are as concerned about these issues as I am. As a family man, I promise when elected I'll use every talent I possess to improve safety, respond to your needs, make myself available to you and have an open door to the Sheriff's office.

Please give me the opportunity to be your Sheriff and work to get these and many more things done that are so needed in Hancock County.

Please vote for me in the August 3rd primary.

Sincerely Yours,

Steve Garber

(Pd Pol adv by Steve Garber)

August 3 Republican Primary Poll Workers Announced

Dr. Andrew Martinolich announces the following poll workers and the precincts they will work at for the August 3 Republican Primary Election. R/R indicates the poll workers responsible for picking up the ballot boxes on Monday, August 2, between 12 noon and 6 p.m. from the Election Commission office (in back of the courthouse). An R shows the poll workers assigned to help the R/R managers return the ballot boxes to the courthouse on August 3 after the polls close at 7 p.m.

For further information, please call 467-4575 or 467-5754.

Ansley
R/R Lois Evans
R Sandra Evans
Hazel White
Arlington
R/R Richard A. Bessey
R Sally Campbell
Jessie Jeanfreau
Bayou Phillip
R/R Elaine Anderson
R Louise Shaw
Joanna Lewis
Catahoula
R/R Doris Ladner
R Eleana Laura Ladner
Mary Shetter

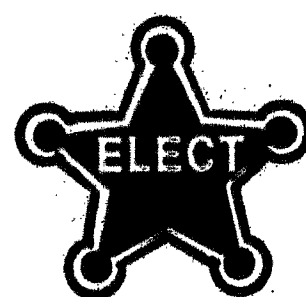
Central School
R/R Kaye Wolfe
R Sally Fussell
M. J. Wolfe Jr.
City Hall
R/R James Fillingame
R Lucette Worrell
Pat McClelland
Clermont Harbor
R/R Carmel Jeanfreau
R Lorena Bowman
Florence Caracci
Courthouse
R/R Dorothy Darte
R Jimmy Rossen
Jean Hill
Virginia Zimmerman
Crane Creek
R/R Hallie Ladner
R Gladys Shaw
Larry Smith
Dedeaux
R/R Kitty Cuevas
R Aimee Boudreaux
Blair James

Diamondhead East
R/R Howard Peters
R Elaine Smith
Betty Peters
Marge Edwards
Gertrude Waddington
Annette Saucier
Diamondhead West
R/R Wilbur Reeb
R Pat Donohue
Pat Reeb
Mary Doicu
Edwardsville
R/R June Dearman

R Karen Leach
Neville "Jake" Jacobs
Charlotte Raphiel
Fenton
R/R Jackie Robert
R Jackie Robert
Herbert Young
Mary Carris
Flat Top
R/R Sharon Wilcox
R Harold Doss
Marie Cuevas
Hancock North Central
R/R Deborah Spence
R David Spence
Christine Spence
Kiln East
R/R Joan Lacoste
R Theresa Tomaso
Mary Necias
Kiln West (Precinct 17)
R/R Woodrow Ladner
R Blaine Hickman
Shelley Boyd
Lakeshore
R/R Claudia Lawson
R Pat Haas
Karen Vahniser
Lee Town
R/R Shirley Goss
R Betty Jo Seals
Alberta Whitfield
North Bay East
R/R Katherine LaChanse
R Albert Jeanfreau
Evelyn Thompson
North Bay West
R/R Jeanne McCollister
R Ruth Carlson
Lucy Wheelden

Alfred Pepperman
Pearlington
R/R Cheryl Ritter
R Ann Asher
Mary Hillhouse
Deanna Harrison
South Bay
R/R Karen Nielsen
R Mary McLeod
Nancy Hoelzel
Standard
R/R Yvonne Ladner
R Hilda "Jo" Shannon
Marta Sweeney

Waveland East
R/R Lem McCoy
R Megan Fleming
Mary McCoy
Thomas Gillon
Waveland West
R/R Barbara Mannix
R Carol Shiyon
Anne S. Meyer
West Shoreline Park
R/R Ron Slattery
R Johnny Mouton
Karly Legere
Robert Legere



BURT JOHNSON SHERIFF of Hancock County

Born and raised in Hancock County • U.S. Navy Veteran • Road Deputy until Dec., 1998, when I stepped down to become a candidate.

"As your Sheriff, I pledge to Protect and Serve the residents of Hancock County with fair and impartial treatment and will strive to temper the Law with Justice."

Pd Pol Adv by Burt Johnson

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Hancock County
Chamber of Commerce
Beautification Committee



Elect Cheryl Bennett Supervisor District 2

Over the past several months I have spent numerous hours in District Two listening and talking with the people about the county. For those that I have missed I hope that you will accept my sincere apologies.

A lot of the talk concentrated on "what has been done, what we need to do and what can we do!"

As your District Two Supervisor:

- ✓ I will work towards the development of more and better community youth programs for our young people.
- ✓ I will work with local and state groups to ensure that Hancock County sustains continued benefits from the growth we will experience.
- ✓ I will look for new avenues of economic development to relieve local taxation.
- ✓ I will work with local & state groups to develop a vision for the county.
- ✓ I will work to ensure continuity in our service programs for all the people and the areas in which they live.

**Proven Leadership
Commitment to Success
Experienced in Local & State Government**

Paid political ad by Cheryl Bennett

ELECT Stella FRILOT A I R N E S S FAIRNESS with intelligence FAIRNESS with understanding FAIRNESS with heart FAIRNESS - willingness to listen FAIRNESS with consideration FAIRNESS to the victims of unlawful acts FAIRNESS to ALL who appear in court

JUSTICE COURT JUDGE HANCOCK COUNTY

Paid political ad by Stella FriLOT

SAMPLE BALLOT REPUBLICAN PRIMARY ELECTION TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1999

GOVERNOR (vote for one)

George "Wagon Wheel" Blair
Eddie Briggs
Dan Gibson
Shawn O'Hara
Mike Parker
Charlie Williams

SHERIFF (vote for one)

(1) Julius A. Martin (45)
(2) Ray J. Murphy (46)
(3)
(4) **CHANCERY CLERK**
(5) (vote for one)
(6)

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (vote for one)

Terry W. Brown
Bill Hawks

Kyle R. Ahlers (49)
CORONER
(vote for one)
(9)
(10) Blake C. Browne (53)
Terese Richardson (55)

SECRETARY OF STATE (vote for one)

Nick Walters

TAX ASSESSOR/COLLECTOR (vote for one)

(13) E. Lee Bennett (58)
Candee L. Breaux (59)

ATTORNEY GENERAL (vote for one)

Mark Garriga

CONSTABLE - EAST (vote for one)

(21) Linda Buckley (65)
Brian Cuevas (66)

STATE AUDITOR (vote for one)

Phil Bryant

JUSTICE COURT- WEST (vote for one)

(23) Harry B. Ward (82)

COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE (vote for one)

Charles Ravencraft

BOARD OF SUPERVISOR DISTRICT #3 (vote for one)

(25) John Caulkins (120)
Lisa Cowand (121)

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER (vote for one)

George Byars

BOARD OF SUPERVISOR DISTRICT #5 (vote for one)

(29) Perry Berens (139)
David Depreo (140)
Danny N. Johnson (141)

STATE SENATE DISTRICT #46 (vote for one)

Dave Koger
James K. "Ken" Overstreet
Johnnie Richard

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES DISTRICT #93 (vote for one)

Gerald Switzer

SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION (vote for one)

(39) Terrell Randolph (161)

Defendant wants trial moved

JACKSON (AP) — Prosecutors have agreed to move a Jackson man's capital murder trial out of Hinds county.

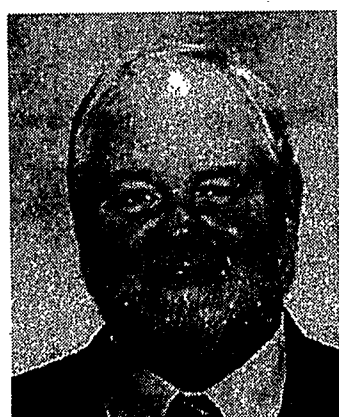
Willie "Truck" Martin, 43, asked a circuit judge Tuesday to move his trial to somewhere in south Mississippi because of pretrial publicity. Martin's trial had been scheduled to start Tuesday.

Prosecutors have suggested moving the trial to Bay St. Louis. A judge will decide the location for the trial.

Martin is one of three people accused in the Nov. 6, 1994 shooting death of Nathaniel "Steve" Steverson, 44, of Jackson.

Robert Charles Jones, 29, is serving a life sentence without parole, and Diane Coleman, 29, is serving a 10-year sentence for their role. Jones was convicted of capital murder in July 1998.

Concerned Citizens for Better Government, Inc. Endorses



THOMAS "TOM" WILLIAMS
for
Supervisor- District 4
"THE RIGHT LEADERSHIP
FOR TOMORROW"

Pd pol Ad by Concerned Citizens for Better Government, Inc., Linda Laird, Chairman

Elect

VONDER BRUEGGE Justice Court Judge Hancock County, Eastern Division



Please allow me to take this opportunity to ask for your support.

My name is J. Bryan Vonder Bruegge and I am running for Justice Court Judge of Hancock County, Eastern Division. I am a recent graduate of the University of Mississippi School of Law and a life-long resident of the Gulf Coast. As your new Justice Court Judge, I will support the holding of court five days a week and work to decrease the number of repeat offenders through the use of alternative sentences.

On August 3rd, please elect me, J. Bryan Vonder Bruegge, as your new Justice Court Judge. A vote for J. Bryan Vonder Bruegge is a vote for:

Paid political ad by J. Bryan Vonder Bruegge

EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE AND PERSONAL DEDICATION

**JERRY LEWIS
MDA
TELETHON
SEPT. 5-8
LABOR DAY WEEKEND**

TO BENEFIT
MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY ASSOCIATION
1-800-FIGHTMD

**Elect
DANNY HAMBY**
Hancock County
Constable East

"A man from the area, FOR the area"

10 years experience as a deputy sheriff, four years of college in forensic science, Hancock North Central graduate

Paid political ad by Danny Hamby



**RE-ELECT
LISA
COWAND**
DISTRICT 3 SUPERVISOR
FULL-TIME
ENTHUSIASTIC,
LEADERSHIP!

"I am excited and anxious about the possibility of again serving the people of District 3, as your full-time Supervisor! I am committed to actively representing you with energy and enthusiasm. I ask that you carefully consider my qualifications and sincerity when you make your choice Tuesday, August 3 in the Republican Primary."

EXPERIENCED ★ INVOLVED ★ COMMITTED

- 12 Years Experience in Local Elected Office
- Hancock County Dist 3 Supervisor 1989-92; 1995 to Present
- Bay St. Louis City Councilperson 1985-88; President 1988
- Board Member Gulf Regional Planning Commission for 12 years
- Served Hancock County Human Resource Agency
- Served on Mississippi Association of Supervisors Education Comm.
- Previous President Bay-Waveland Garden Club
- Served on Board for Miss. Mental Health & Retardation Comm.
- Past Board Member Miss. Women in Municipal Government
- Charter Member Bay-Waveland Jaycees
- Served on Our Lady of the Gulf Parish Hall Building Committee
- Captain Krewe of Kids Carnival Parade
- Previous Board Member Bay St. Louis Little Theatre
- Leadership Hancock County Class of 1998

LISA COWAND
Pd Pol Adv by Lisa Cowand

"Back to the Basics"

**ELECT RICK
FAIR**
Supervisor District 5



- United States Navy Veteran
- Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Management
- Proprietor/Operator Don's House of Seafood, Kiln, MS
- Hancock County Deputy Sheriff

There is a Difference in Supervisors too!

As your supervisor I pledge to:

- Organize the county work force and have a schedule of maintenance operations.
- Keep the county informed of issues before voting on them.
- Improve parks & recreation.
- Increase upkeep & maintenance of roadways.
- Have an open door policy & return all phone calls & get answers for your questions.

**Vote for Rick Fair-Supervisor District 5
in the Democratic Primary on August 3**

Pd Pol Adv by Rick Fair

SAMPLE BALLOT

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1999

GOVERNOR
(vote for one)

Richard Barrett
Charles Boyd Bell
Carrie Anderson Harris
James W. "Boobie" Hunt
Ronnie Musgrove
Katie Perrone
James L. "Jimmy" Roberts, Jr.
Elton Davis Wall

CHANCERY CLERK
(vote for one)

(2) Timothy A. (Tim) Kollar
(4)
(6) **CIRCUIT CLERK**
(8) (vote for one)
(10)
(12) Judy M. Ladner
(14) Pamela Thomas Metzler
(16) Jo Ellen Necaise

BOARD OF SUPERVISOR - #1
(vote for one)

(89) Billie Lyons
Steve Seymour
Wayne Whitney
Thomas "Tom" Williams
(192)
(194)
(196)
(198)

BOARD OF SUPERVISOR - #5
(vote for one)

Joseph P. "Jody" Compretta, Jr.
Jay Cuevas
Rick Fair
Philip E. Moran
(200)
(202)
(204)
(206)

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
(vote for one)

Troy D. Brown, Sr.
Grey F. Ferris
Amy Tuck

CORONER
(vote for one)

(21) Jim Odom
(23) Norma C. Stiglet
(25)

SUPT. OF EDUCATION
(vote for one)

Myma Ladner Bourgeois
Mike Ladner
(212)
(214)

SECRETARY OF STATE
Eric Clark**TAX ASSESSOR/COLLECTOR**
(vote for one)

(27) Caroline Maurigi Adam
(29) Joseph M. Bermond
Jimmie Ladner, Jr.
(109)
(111)
(113)

ATTORNEY GENERAL
Mike Moore**STATE AUDITOR**
Rod Nixon**JUSTICE COURT JUDGE - WEST**
(vote for one)

(31) Albert D. Biehl, III
Tommy Carver
Donna M. Dougherty
Paula Ladner Fayard
(36) Stella H. Frilot
Cedric Ladner
Albert Necaise
Dorck Peterson
L.J. "Larry" Peterson
(116)
(118)
(120)
(122)
(124)
(126)
(128)
(130)
(132)

STATE TREASURER
Marshall G. Bennett**COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE**
George Dale**AGRICULTURE & COMMERCE**
(vote for one)

Roger D. Crowder
Fred T. Smith
Lester Spell

CONSTABLE - WEST
(vote for one)

(40) Gary L. Bennett
(42) James I. Holden, Sr.
(44) Eric Moran, Sr.
Kurt A. Necaise
(137)
(139)
(141)
(143)

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER
(vote for one)

Larry L. Albritton
James Buckhaults
Henry "Buck" Bucklew
Michael Callahan
Larry Harvey

JUSTICE COURT JUDGE - EAST
(vote for one)

(47) Joseph "Joe" Dobson, Sr.
(49) J. Bryan Vonder Bruegge
(51) Kelly Walker
(53)
(55)
(147)
(149)
(151)

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONER
Wayne Brown**CONSTABLE - EAST**
(vote for one)

(59) Danny Hamby
Lco E. Ladner
James L. Netto
Lester B. Owens, Jr.
(157)
(159)
(161)
(163)

STATE SENATE DISTRICT #46
Scottie R. Cuevas**STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT #93**
Dirk Dedeaux**BOARD OF SUPERVISOR - #1**
(vote for one)

(62) G.W. Graham
Lyonie J. "Jeep" Ladner, Sr.
James T. Ward
(173)
(175)
(177)

STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT #122
J.P. Compretta**DISTRICT ATTORNEY DISTRICT #2**
Cono Caranna**BOARD OF SUPERVISOR - #2**
(vote for one)

(70) Cheryl A. Bennett
Rodrick "Rocky" Pullman
(179)
(182)

SHERIFF
(vote for one)

George C. DeJarnette
Steve Garber
Burt Johnson
Ronald A. "Ronnie" Peterson
Donald Watson

(78) **BOARD OF SUPERVISOR #3**
(80) (vote for one)
(82) Roger Dale Ladner
(84) Clifton Saucier
(86) (184)
(186)

ELECT JUDY M. LADNER

CIRCUIT COURT CLERK

- 12 years Hancock County Justice Court Deputy Clerk
- Composed/Acknowledge criminal affidavits for the general public and law enforcement officers (such as: domestic violence, assault, larceny, rape, burglary, etc.)
- In court experience and assisted judges in court proceedings
- Experienced in dealing with the general public on a day-to-day basis.

THANK YOU HANCOCK COUNTY

I would like to thank the citizens of this county for their friendliness, hospitality and encouraging words. For those of whom I may not have visited personally, I use this means to ask you "Please Vote For Me."

Paid political ad by Judy M. Ladner

VOTE FOR



and help ELECT JIM ODOM

CORONER

HANCOCK COUNTY
"A FAMILY MAN WHO CARES"

Please Consider His Qualifications:

1. Prior Nationally Certified Emergency Medical Technician.
2. Served as Deputy Coroner/Medical Examiner Investigator 1983-1992.
3. Certified by State of Mississippi as a Coroner/Medical Examiner Investigator 1983-1992.
4. Attended numerous schools in Forensic Medicine, Crime Scene Protection, Crime Scene Re-Production, Aids, Odontology, Accident and Death Investigation.

If you have any questions or if you would like a yard sign to show your support for Jim Odom, please call: 467-8262

"THANK YOU FOR YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE"
Paid Political advertisement by Jim Odom

This kid's being sentenced to life.

1-800-WE PREVENT

Ad Council

ELECT Cedric Ladner

Judge West

Hancock County

**To the People of Hancock County**

I would like to thank the people I had a chance to meet and talk to during my door to door campaign for being so nice. This was a new experience for me. Some friends told me not to stay in one place too long, if you do you will never see everybody. For those I didn't get to see I apologize. When someone wanted to talk I stayed and listened. I learned a lot about the people, the places where they live and some of the things that go on in Hancock County.

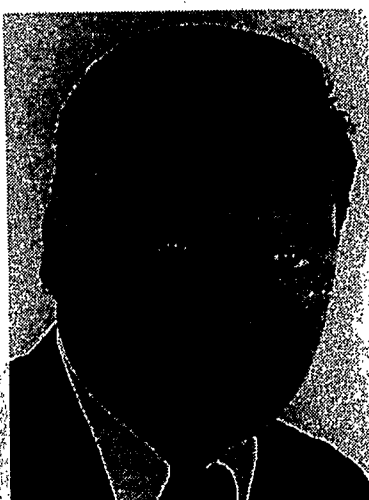
People would tell me about areas not to campaign in, if you do get out before dark. Well, I went in some of these areas. What I learned from talking to the people (who were not scared to open the door) was shocking. What is happening in Hancock County when people are scared to answer the door and carrying guns to protect their families. Yes, this is happening in areas of Hancock County. I know because it is starting to happen in my area.

I was in Leetown going door to door where I met a lady who was scared to open the door. She told me through the door she would not be around to vote, she was getting out of Hancock County (people here are crazy). I found out later someone was shooting at someone next door to her a few days before. Are we going to stand by and let things like this keep happening until it runs all of us good people out. People something has got to be done. You the people of Hancock County are the ones who can get it started by going to vote.

This is the only promise I am going to make, I promise if you elect me your next Justice Court Judge I will do everything in my power to get Hancock County back to being a place where you can go to bed at night with your front door open, where your kids can play in the yard, where you won't be afraid to answer the door.

So please go vote. Help elect me your next Justice Court Judge. I will strive to make Hancock County a better place to live for my family and yours.

Paid Pol. Adv. by Cedric Ladner



ELECT DANNY N. JOHNSON

District 5 Supervisor

Qualified with experience that counts!

***Elect* Danny N. Johnson**

Hancock County District 5 Supervisor
Republican Party - August 3, 1999

880-6057

Paid political ad by Danny N. Johnson

Angelonias continue to rate high

By Norman Winter
MSU Horticultural
Central Mississippi
Research & Extension Center

The 30-inch tall, spiky blue flowers of the angelonia continue to be the most impressive of recent plant introductions. In a world where round flowers seem to dominate, the texture from the plant is a joy to behold. The Florida Plant of the Year last year was a variety called Hilo Princess, and it performs well here, too.

They have been readily available this year. One thing that surprises me is that the price on angelonias is really a good value. Plant in well-drained, well-prepared beds rich in organic matter.

SOUTHERN GARDENING

Choose a site in full sun for best flowering. It is hard to believe that a plant in the snapdragon family relishes our summer heat and humidity. Hybridizers, if you are reading this article, please bring us more plants like this one.

Once established in the bed, it seems to have remarkable drought tolerance. This is particularly true in organic-rich beds

where a layer of mulch has been added. Pay attention though. If we should go through a really prolonged dry spell, supplemental irrigation would be needed. Please do not stick this wonderful plant in tight, cement-like soil.

Light, monthly applications of a 2-1-2-ratio fertilizer, such as a 10-5-10 with minor nutri-

ents, are all that is needed to keep this plant blooming. The bloom period is really long, and when it does want to cycle, it responds well to trimming back with a pair of pruning shears.

The angelonia will be treated as an annual most years, except in South Mississippi. However, they have come back the past two years at the Truck Crops Branch Experiment Station in Crystal Springs. They really came back vigorously this year. The poorer the drainage, the less likely they will return.

When angelonia blooms, it makes you think it would be at home in a cottage-like garden. It is not as tall as larkspurs, but it gives a sense of belonging in that style garden. Hilo Princess angelonia looks good with New Gold lantana or planted in drifts adjacent to Black-Eyed Susans.

There are white varieties and pink ones that look awesome planted in front of tall purple coneflowers. One of the most vigorous angelonias is called Tiger Princess and has flowers that are a bluish-purple with a white stripe. This variety was made to be planted with Shasta daisies or white zinnias.

Plant gurus who like to propagate by cutting will be overjoyed to know that the angelonia roots with ease. Simply stick a 6-inch cutting in moist potting soil, and you are just about guaranteed success.

Angelonias are not even close to having reached market potential. I had the opportunity to tour the California trials and one of the most exciting groups of plants that will be coming out next year is called Angelmist.

Ball Flora Plant will distribute Angelmist angelonias, and they will be bringing us new colors in deep plum, richer pinks and purples and a better white. These have also been virus indexed or in other words virus free.

Look for angelonias now and particularly next year when the new selections make their debut. I feel confident you will fall in love with this plant like I have.

Crosby Arboretum awarded national medallion

The Crosby Arboretum, Mississippi State University in Picayune, has been awarded a national medal as a historic landscape by the American Society of Landscape Architects.

The arboretum was selected along with 361 landscapes across the United States for the medallion program, which celebrates significantly recognized sites in the nation.

"To commemorate our 100th anniversary, we have created the centennial medallion award program, recognizing significant works of landscape architecture—places of the heart—across the country," said ASLA executive vice president Peter A. Kirsh.

The arboretum's master plan was given a national Honor Award from ASLA in 1992, and Pinecote Pavilion has the distinction of being the only struc-

ture in Mississippi ever to win an Honor Award from the American Institute of Architects.

The Crosby Arboretum will be presented with the medallion at a special ceremony at the arboretum's Interpretive Center in Picayune on Thursday, Aug. 12 at 1 p.m.

Representatives from the Mississippi Chapter of the American Society of Landscape

Architects will make the presentation.

Award winners for the centennial medallion come from every state, including such longtime favorites as New York's Central Park and San Francisco's Ghirardelli Square.

A full list of winners is available on ASLA's Web page at www.asla.org in the Centennial Celebration sections.

Biloxi Art Association seeks artists for exhibit

The Biloxi Art Association, with support from the City of Biloxi, extends an invitation for all Coast area artists to participate in its inaugural monthly art exhibit Sept. 18.

The exhibit, called Les Artis-

tes en plein aire (Artists in the Open Air), will be open 10 a.m.-4 p.m. along the Rue Mag-nolia at Hwy. 90 in downtown Biloxi.

Biloxi Art Association member Linda Theobald explained, "We are using the French term, en plein aire, which the Impressionists used to describe a picture painted outdoors in the changing light."

"We want the public to be able to walk through the artists' space, under the shady trees, seeing the artists at work," she said. "We also hope people will see a work of art they like and buy it."

The Biloxi Art Association, with support from the city of Biloxi, plans to continue this exhibit on a monthly basis. Currently we are planning to stage Les Artistes en plein aire on the third Saturday of each month," she said.

Theobald noted that the artists' spaces will be free and open to any artist. A previous art exhibit of this type, on the Biloxi Town Green in May, was a success prompting this move to a monthly basis.

"We had about 15 artists and a steady stream of visitors," Theobald noted.

Artists wishing to participate are urged to contact Linda Theobald at 255-9796 or by fax at 688-1094; or Rhonda Herrin, 864-3581.



ELECT RAY MURPHY HANGCOCK COUNTY SHERIFF REPUBLICAN PRIMARY

QUALIFICATIONS:

- 25 years experience
- Bachelors of Science in Criminal Justice; USM
- Associate of Arts in Criminal Justice; Jeff Davis
- Graduate Jackson Police Training Academy
- Graduate New Orleans Police Department Training Academy
- Graduate Gulfport Police Department Reserve Training Academy
- Former New Orleans Police Officer
- Former Bay St. Louis Police Chief
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QUALIFIED-EXPERIENCED-DEDICATED

Pd Pol Adv by Ray Murphy

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I SERVED 8 YEARS AS YOUR COUNTY SUPERVISOR. I WORKED WITH LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL OFFICIALS TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR ALL OF OUR CITIZENS.

IF ELECTED, I WILL STAND UP FOR YOU AND MAKE PROMPT DECISIONS ON THE TOUGH ISSUES WE NOW FACE.

I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO MAKE A HEARTFELT COMMITMENT TO YOU,

I WILL NOT VOTE FOR A PROPERTY TAX INCREASE.

PLEASE CONSIDER ME ON AUG. 3RD

Roger Dale Ladner

PAID POLITICAL AD BY ROGER DALE LADNER

Jimmie Ladner, Jr. Tax Assessor/Collector



Jimmie with wife Cheryl and daughters, Heather and Hillary

My family and I would like to thank the citizens of Hancock County for your hospitality during this campaign.

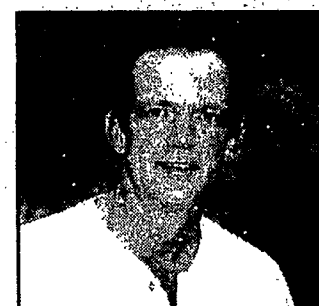
Over the past months, I have tried to see each of you. If I missed you, let me now ask for your consideration and support.

If given the opportunity, I will administer a professional and courteous office that will strive to serve in a fair and equal manner.

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Perry Berens Supervisor District 5



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☒ VOTE PERRY BERENS - stop discriminatory sewerage hookup fees. Work towards getting money back for people who have already paid too much.

☒ VOTE PERRY BERENS - upgrade the sewerage treatment plant

☒ VOTE PERRY BERENS - close open ditches. Increase safety for pedestrians walking, jogging, or biking along busy County roads.

☒ VOTE PERRY BERENS to ensure properly graded ditches to decrease county maintenance costs and ensure proper drainage.

☒ VOTE PERRY BERENS to improve the Farmer's Market.

☒ VOTE PERRY BERENS for monthly schedule of planned maintenance on all County roads and ditches to be published in

the newspaper. Let's put those County administrators to work for a change.

☒ VOTE and elect the first candidate in Hancock County history that has no relatives in the state of Mississippi. My nearest relative lives in Montana. Therefore my constituents will become my extended family for the next four years.

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Republican Candidate District 5
Vote for a Return to Government, Not Politics!

Pd Pol Adv by Perry Berens

Community Action Agency seeks input

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS
The Gulf Coast Community Action Agency, Inc., Hancock County Branch, which has been located for over 25 years in Bay St. Louis, will conduct its annual Needs Assessment Meeting on Thursday, Aug. 5, at 10 a.m. at the Coast Electric Conference Room.

Mayola Haynes, family service supervisor, reports that Community Action Agency serves many family needs in the area. They include low income energy assistance, home weatherization, HUD housing,

emergency shelter grants, crisis intervention, TANF job placement, home ownership programs, etc.

"We need input from the general public, as there may be other areas our agency is not aware of that we can offer assistance," Haynes said.

The Community Action Agency is located at 403 Blaise Avenue, (near Sycamore), Bay St. Louis.

The Coast Electric Conference Room is located on Main Street, behind the Shell Service Station on Highway 90.

Class to be conducted for senior citizens' program

An Aug. 10-12 class on "Mississippi Senior Citizens and Law Enforcement" will be conducted for county participants in The Right Information and Direction (TRIAD) program at the Mississippi Law Enforcement Officers' Training Academy, Pearl, by the Mississippi Leadership Council on Aging.

Topics to be covered are "Graying of America," "Process of Aging," "Psychology of Aging," "Crimes Affecting the Elderly," "Community Resources," "News Media Relations," "Presentation Skills of Officers" and "Crime Prevention Programs."

Two representatives, law enforcement officers or others,

will be accepted from each county with a TRIAD program, and there will be no cost for participants.

Those attending will receive notebooks, training material and a certificate of attendance.

Law Enforcement officers will receive in-service training credit for their participation.

TRIAD is aimed at reducing

crimes against senior citizens in a coordinated effort among law enforcement, social service agencies and local communities.

Additional information on the class may be obtained from Alan Adams, Leadership Council on Aging director, or Wayne Parker, projects officer, at (601) 359-7880.

More charges expected in child exploitation case, police say

(AP) Authorities say more charges are likely against a Biloxi man accused of exploitation of a child after police allegedly found more than 200 sexually graphic photographs in his

home. Rayford John Jimenez, 65, remained Wednesday in the Harrison County jail on \$150,000 bond. He was arrested Monday. "It makes you sick to look at

it," Detective Capt. Rick Kirk said. "Words cannot describe the stuff we found."

Along with more than 200 photographs stored in several boxes, investigators took a com-

puter, software and a notebook out of Jimenez's home. Kirk said the photographs "contained every kind of perversion."

Although Jimenez is not believed to be connected to an Internet child pornography ring, Kirk said more state charges were expected after investigators had time to go through the confiscated material.

Sheriff's deputies in San Bernardino, Calif., called Biloxi police about Jimenez. San Bernardino investigators targeted pedophiles when they posed as "sexual predators" in Internet chat rooms.

Earlier this month, Jimenez allegedly transmitted to the investigators computer-generated photographs of children under the age of 18.

In California, Jimenez could have been charged only with a misdemeanor because this is the first time he has been accused of child exploitation.

But in Mississippi, child exploitation is a felony. If convicted, Jimenez could receive a sentence of 10 to 20 years in prison, and a fine of up to \$25,000.

In 1990, Jimenez was arrested and pleaded guilty in Biloxi to a child prowling charge. He received a 10-year suspended sentence and five years on probation.

Mississippi fishing lake features wetlands filtration system

The city of Poplarville, Mississippi, took some flak for buying a five-acre hole in the ground, but Alderman John Grant had a vision of a community fishing lake, so a hole in the ground made perfect sense to him and other city officials. Now a reality, Poplar Springs Lake is open to the public and a case study for environmental efficiency working in concert with economic growth.

According to Grant, the lake, which has only been open since May 15, has already been put to good use by biology students at Pearl River Community College where Grant is a physics professor and department chair. The students have conducted several field lab exercises. Grant said the city of Poplarville hopes to eventually build a paved jogging or walking track around the lake so the community can enjoy yet another facet of the project. The local Boy Scout troop is discussing the feasibility of establishing a nature trail.

But perhaps the greatest fringe benefit of the lake project is the environmental example it sets. As a result of efforts from the Gulf of Mexico Program, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service, the state of Mississippi's Department of Wildlife Fisheries and Parks, the city of Poplarville and Pearl River County, the Poplar Springs Lake features a dual cell wetlands filtration system.

The filtration system, funded by a \$21,000 grant from the Gulf of Mexico Program and designed by NRCS engineers, allows solid materials to settle and removes dissolved pollutants before the runoff enters the lake. And, though the lake is approximately 50 miles north of the Gulf of Mexico, the five states bordering the Gulf benefit from improved water quality since the streams leading from the lake flow into the Hoblochitto, then the Pearl River and in turn the Gulf of Mexico.

"This project shows how small

efforts benefit the larger picture of the Gulf," said Bryon Griffith, the Gulf of Mexico Program deputy director.

"Residents of the five Gulf Coast states are, after all, one community with only one Gulf to protect. What happens off the coast of Mississippi is important to the coast of Florida, Alabama, Louisiana, and Texas, and what happens in those waters is important and has an effect on Mississippi." According to Griffith, the project meets one of the GMP's goals of maintaining and improving Gulf habitats that support living resources. "Specifically, it responds to our objective of protecting and restoring key Gulf habitats, including coastal wetlands, submerged aquatic vegetation, important upland areas, and marine and offshore areas," he said.

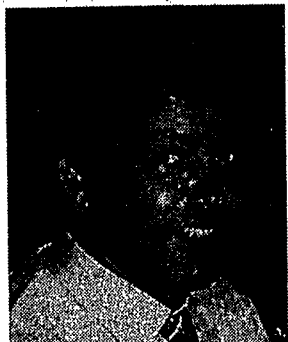
David Smith of NRCS explained that the upper cell of the filtration system catches sediment and dirt while the lower system consists of a variety of hydric plants which filter the water before it goes into the lake. NRCS designed the lake structure and the principal spillway, as well as the actual

wetlands filtration system. They also provided engineering and surveying capabilities at no charge to the city.

According to Grant, the project truly was a partnership. The Wildlife, Fisheries, and Parks Department contributed \$10,000 to the project and helped the city develop a management plan. The department also stocked the lake with fish. Pearl River County contributed \$10,000 and the use of county equipment. The city of Poplarville made the initial land purchase at a cost of about \$12,000. Grant said construction of the lake began in the summer of 1996. "The property was formerly an ugly excavation site resulting from when the Mississippi Department of Transportation relocated Highway 26 through the city," he said. "We bought the eyesore from the highway project contractor and took some public heat for buying what was essentially considered a hole in the ground. But to build lake, a hole in the ground is exactly what you need."

The lake is located just off I-59 on Hwy. 26 in the city limits of Poplarville, 22 miles north of Poyayune.

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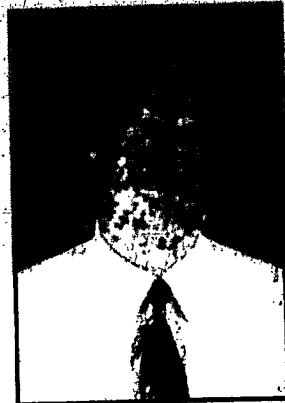
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ELECT BLAKE BROWNE

Coroner Hancock County

Republican Primary- August 3rd

"The Most Educated and Qualified Candidate."



EDUCATION

- ◆ Graduate Hancock High School 1987
- ◆ Basic Nursing Courses-San Diego, CA
- ◆ Pharmaceutical Courses-Portsmouth, VA
- ◆ LPN Courses-Texas
- ◆ 4 year/B.S. in Hospital/Nursing Home Administration-Southern Illinois Univ. 1994
- ◆ Currently working towards Doctorates Degree

EXPERIENCE

- ◆ 10 years experience with all aspects of Healthcare, both Clinical & Hospital
- ◆ Hospital Education and Training
- ◆ Hospital Patient Administration
- ◆ Extensive military background with reports, directives and family assistance associated with the death of a loved one.

MILITARY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- ◆ 9+ years active duty U.S. Navy

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Pd Pol Adv by Blake Browne

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Re-Elect Lester Spell

Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce

* Agriculture is Mississippi's Number One Industry.

* Lester Spell came into office in 1996, he's been committed in bringing the office up-to-date with state of the art technology.

* This is happening not only in the home office but also in the labs that are being upgraded at Alcorn State and Mississippi State Universities.

* "While we strive to meet the needs of our agricultural economy, we are also responsible for regulating industries that daily affect every Mississippian's life, from the gas pumps that are inspected to insure that you get what you pay for, to the scales in the grocery store that weigh every thing that you buy."

* Lester Spell is a sixth-generation Mississippian whose family has farmed and been in business in the state since the early 1800's. He and his wife Sandra live in Richland with their two children, Jason and Katie, in the original home of his great-grandparents. He is a deacon and member of First Baptist Church in Jackson, where he and Sandra teach a high school Sunday school class.

* "I want to continue to do the job we began four years ago. There is more that can be done and it has got to be done right"



Vote Lester Spell in the Democratic Primary August 3rd
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Consumer News for Families

By Mark S. Mandell &
Edward A. Williamson

Finding a worm in your child's apple may not be the most alarming thing for a parent to worry about after all.

According to recent studies by the Environmental Working Group, a non-profit research organization in Washington, D.C., and Consumers Union, the publishers of *Consumer Reports* magazine, children may be at risk from pesticides they ingest while eating their favorite fruits and vegetables.

Relying on data collected from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the Consumers Union study focuses on 27,000 food samples of domestic and imported produce, assigning a toxicity score to 27 different foods.

Most of the foods, such as bananas, broccoli, apple juice, canned peaches, milk, orange juice and canned corn, scored relatively low on their level of toxicity. Those foods cited as having toxicity scores up to hundreds of times higher than the rest of the foods analyzed included apples, grapes, green beans, peaches, pears, spinach and winter squash.

Because children consume more produce per pound of body weight than adults, there is concern that kids are that much more susceptible to pesticides—their bodies cannot adequately detoxify or eliminate chemicals which may pose a health risk to their developing nervous systems and organs.

While most of the foods tested had pesticide levels within legal limits, many exceeded U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) levels deemed safe for young children.

Consumers Union states that their testing results are not intended to frighten parents, but rather to inform them of the potential health risks to their children's development. "Our findings certainly don't mean that parents should stop giving their children plenty of healthful produce, but these findings do suggest that parents might want to be careful about the amounts and types of fruits and vegetables they serve their children," says Dr. Edward Groth, technical policy and public service director at Consumers Union.

To help educate parents on

reducing the amount of pesticides their children consume, the EPA has begun distributing a brochure entitled, "Pesticides and Food: What You and Your Family Need to Know." The brochure - available on the Internet at <http://www.epa.gov/pesticides/food> - highlights a few simple steps that can be taken to reduce the amount of pesticides consumed:

Wash. Wash and scrub all fresh produce thoroughly under running water. Running water has an abrasive effect that helps remove bacteria and traces of chemicals from the surface.

Peel and trim. Peel fruits and vegetables when possible, and discard outer leaves of leafy vegetables.

Select a variety of foods. Eat a variety of foods to give you a better mix of nutrients and reduce the likelihood of exposure to a single pesticide.

In addition to the Consumers Union study, the Environmental Working Group (EWG) has released its own study on the risks posed by pesticides. The EWG report can be found at <http://www.ewg.org>. EWG has also launched a new, interactive Web site (<http://www.foodnews.org>), which allows users to determine what pesticides they consume on a daily basis and what the potential health hazards may be.

Consumers Union and EWG are commended for bringing pesticide concerns to our attention.

For more health and safety information and tips, please visit ATLA's "Keep Our Families Safe" Web site at <http://family.safety.atla.org>.

Mark S. Mandell, president of the Association of Trial Lawyers of America, is a partner in the Providence, R.I., law firm of Mandell, Schwartz & Boisclair.

Edward A. Williamson, president of the Mississippi Trial Lawyers Association, is proprietor of the Williamson Law Firm.

Brandon woman to lead Mississippi AARP

A Brandon woman who has been a longtime volunteer for AARP has been named to the highest leadership position in Mississippi. The appointment of Dorothy (Dot) Grames as state president was made Friday in Atlanta by the southeast regional volunteer director, Robert Corley, and is effective immediately.

In addition to tackling a number of volunteer responsibilities with the Mississippi AARP, Grames has been a member of the AARP National Legislative Council, which drafts the federal, state and local public policy positions that guide the organization's legislative advocacy efforts.

She is also a former AARP women's issues specialist, and continues to be active with the Federation of Women's Clubs.

Grames moved to Brandon from Gulf Shores, Ala., where she operated a residential real estate company.

As state president, Grames will be the principal spokesper-

son and ambassador for AARP. She will help coordinate activities and events with staff and other volunteers to further the AARP goal of becoming "a dynamic presence in every community." There are nearly 250,000 AARP members residing in the state.

The new president said the state AARP wants to help people make their lives more livable. "AARP is committed to preserving and strengthening the programs that affect people's health and long-term care, their economic security, and their ability to live independently," she said. "That's a commitment we in Mississippi are taking seriously."

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Telephone numbers for children issues

CHILDREN'S ISSUES
Bay St. Louis Police Dept. 467-9221
CANDY Citizens Against Needless Death in Youth 762-2175/947-2123
CASA Court Appointed Special Advocates Association 467-7945
Child Abuse Hotline 1-800-222-8000
Center For the Prevention of Child Abuse 463-0000
Center For Missing Exploited Children 1-800-843-5678
Dept. of Human Services 467-4100
Hancock Medical Center (Poison/Emergency) 467-8600
Hope Haven 467-7945
Resource Center on Domestic Violence 1-800-527-3223
Sheriff's Office 467-5101
Waveland Police 467-3669
Youth Court 467-7945

FAMILY ISSUES:
AA/NA 467-8556/868-8596
Anger Management for Men 435-1968
Chemical Abuse Prev. Ser. 762-6540
Crisis Line Sand Hill Hospital 1-800-831-1700
Domestic Violence Center 762-8267
Effective Parenting 452-9687
Gulf Coast Mental Health 467-1881
Gulf Coast Women's Center 435-1968
Parents Anonymous 864-6274
Parents Support Group 452-4190
Rape, Abuse, Incest 1-800-656-4673
Rape Crisis Line 1-800-800-1396

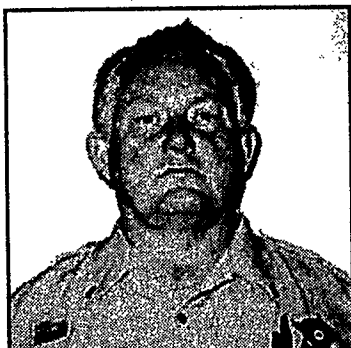
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Hope Haven, Inc. and The Center for The
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HANCOCK COUNTY
JUSTICE COURT JUDGE WEST

Experience: 28 Years in Law Enforcement
4 Years in Justice Court
36 Years dealing with people day to day.

Knowledge: Knows the Law, Civil, Criminal

HONEST - HELPFUL - FAIR

Pd Pol Adv by Albert Biehl III

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Hancock County is growing like never before, and now more than ever, we need a SHERIFF with proven experience. I have spent my entire life working for the people of Hancock County in law enforcement. Let me put my 28 years of experience working for you in keeping our community a safer place to live.

EXPERIENCED:

I have spent the last 20 years serving as your SHERIFF. Prior to that, I served as a Narcotics Officer, Chief Investigator, and Chief Deputy for a total of 28 years of service for Hancock County. I have the experience and dedication to continue serving you as SHERIFF.

**PLEASE VOTE-1st Primary, August 3
2nd Primary, August 24**

(Submitted to and approved by Ronald A. "Ronnie" Peterson, paid for by friends)

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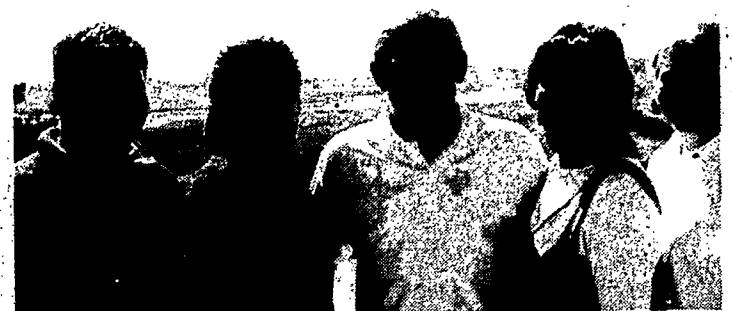
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Hancock County Tax
Assessor/Collector

Tuesday, August 3



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- *Lee has the best assessment education (Mississippi Realtor's Institute, International Association of Assessing Officers, Appraisal Institute, American Society of Appraisers, Mississippi State University Cooperative Extension Service, Mississippi State Tax Commission)

Bachelor's Degree (Ole Miss)

"I know the special needs faced by Hancock County. I have spent most of my adult life preparing for this job. Let me continue to put my experience to work for you as Assessor/Collector. I can continue working for you the very first day in office."

Pd Pol Adv By Lee Bennett

PROBLEM SOLVER:

In the past several years, we have seen our area grow like never before. More people are coming here to visit, live, and to retire. To keep up with the growth, we must continue to provide Quality Law Enforcement by having an EXPERIENCED leader and highly trained officers.

BIOGRAPHY:

- Born and raised in Hancock County.
- Graduate of Bay St. Louis High School. President of class all four years.
- Two years college at Pearl River. Monitor of dormitory.
- United States Marine Corps-4 years, Vietnam veteran.
- Member of numerous military and fraternal organizations.
- Graduate of Mississippi Law Enforcement Schools.
- Member of Mississippi and National Sheriff's Association.

Chamber's EXPO sets record with exhibitors

The Hancock County Chamber of Commerce's August 28, Business and Industry EXPO has sold out its booth spaces which were offered to chamber members on a first-come, first-served basis, in an announcement made by Amy Gregory, chamber executive director Friday.

The EXPO is one of the chamber's Member Service's projects and the number of exhibitors has tripled since last year. Raymos McMillion serves as the committee's chairman.

Gregory said the chamber is setting up a waiting list for the EXPO.

The first EXPO sponsored by the chamber last year was held at the Holiday Inn in Waveland.

The second EXPO sponsored by the chamber will be held at the Hancock County Civic Cen-

ter on Longfellow Road on August 28, 3 to 7 p.m.

August 2nd is the deadline for exhibitors. McMillion said he was well pleased with the response by business and industry participation in the EXPO and happy to hear the event was a sell-out before the deadline arrived.

General public admission to the EXPO is \$1 advanced tickets and \$2 at the door. Tickets are available at the chamber of commerce through noon on August 26 at \$1 each.

Those attending the EXPO have an opportunity of participating in a \$1,000 drawing. The qualify for an entry, they need to visit at least half of the exhibitors. Winner need not be present at the time of the drawing.

The following is a list of exhibitors through Friday noon:

The Sea Coast Echo
MSU Extension Service
Union Planters Bank
Coast Electric Power Association
Southern Graphics
Quest Rehab
Latter & Blum Inc. Realtors
Edward D. Jones
Goldinc.
Coldwell Banker Coast Delta Realty
St. Stanislaus College
Mattresses & More
Monti Electric Supply Inc.
Gulfside United Methodist Assembly
The People's Bank
Hancock County Library System
Cellular South
Edmond Fahey Funeral Home
Whitney National Bank
Forstall Floor Covering
Multi Staffing Services
Gulf of Mexico Program Office
Associated Rehabilitation Services
USM Small Bus. Development Center
Hancock Bank
Holiday Inn - Waveland
Casino Magic Resort
Resort Key West Inn
Hope Haven Inc.
GeoTech Management Services Co.
Kare-In-Home Health Services Inc.
Bell South Mobility
Royal Hardwood Floors
Certified Carpet & Upholstry
Diamondhead Discount Drugs Inc.
Universal Self Storage Inc.
Dunbar Village
Remedy Intelligent Staffing
Pest Control Specialists Inc.
The Village at Henderson Point
Corporate Cheer
Hancock Medical Center
Trapani's Eatery
Kelly and Cabell, PA
Shingle Shine of America
Liquid Solutions Referral Center
Kitchens and Bath by Park Supply
Cuevas Construction
Mississippi Power Company
Home Air Purifiers / Alpine
Jackie O's Cafe
Munro Petroleum & Terminal Corp.
G.E. Plastics
Quality Home Health Care of Gulf Coast
Mortgage Guaranty
Bay Carpet & Interiors
Lucker Enterprises / Nikken
Lightening Quick Signs
Johnson Controls
Community Education
Hancock Co. Tourism Development Bureau
Carole's Olde Town Restaraunt
Hancock County Port and Harbor
Miss. Contract Procurement Center
Coastal Security
Whitaker Consultant Service
Hancock County Health Council
New Orleans Net
Newcomers Guide Mississippi
Century Tel
Gertrude Gardner Realtors

Hancock County Chamber heads sewer improvement

Sewage pipe is being laid end to end along Hwy. 603 in Hancock County, Mississippi, thanks to a joint community effort spearheaded by the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce.

According to Gulf of Mexico Program Director Jim Giattina the project really began when a county ordinance was passed banning the installation of any new septic systems south of Interstate 10. "That ordinance just shut down development south of I-10 -- an area of approximately 17 miles," Giattina said.

The Hancock County Chamber got involved because the ordinance was discouraging any new businesses going into the area. There was no municipal wastewater treatment system in close proximity to the businesses and residences stretching along Hwy. 603 to the beach.

"We began a program called Leadership Hancock County in conjunction with the Economic

Development Department of Mississippi Power," said Amy Gregory, Executive Director of the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce.

Leadership Hancock County was basically a class on being a leader, Gregory said. "This class, as a group, began addressing a broad range of projects in the county, one of which was the need for sanitary sewage. It then became the main goal of the Chamber of Commerce to tackle that issue."

Because the new ordinance had closed business development until municipal water and sewer was available, the county moved ahead quickly with plans to expand and upgrade many of the water and sewer districts serving unincorporated areas and portions of Bay St. Louis. Completion of phase one is expected this summer, but upgrading existing sewer systems will be an ongoing improvement to the area, Gregory said.

State officials announce details of new school safety hotline

A new statewide, toll-free school safety hotline will be available when students return to school, Mississippi Department of Education officials announced.

The Connections hotline can be reached by calling 1-888-827-4637 and is designed for students, parents, grandparents, educators and the public to use in cases where they have information about a situation that has the potential to compromise school safety.

The hotline is the result of a partnership with the Mississippi Department of Public Safety's Crime Stoppers program. Officials were in town to discuss the program as part of a 10-city tour designed to increase public awareness of the program.

All in-state calls -- including calls from pay phones -- will be accepted. Callers will never be asked to reveal their name, specific location or the source of their information.

In certain cases, callers will receive a cash award of as much as \$1,000. Cash awards are made through a proven Crime Stoppers system that guarantees anonymity.

Trained Department of Public Safety employees will assist the Crime Stoppers office in handling incoming calls and providing information to appropriate law enforcement representatives and school officials. State Department of Education officials also will receive transcripts of all calls.

"Through this partnership, Connections, will be able to guarantee callers anonymity and a possible cash reward for information regarding school safety concerns," said Margaret Cooper, State Crime Stoppers director. "The Crime Stoppers program has proven its success since 1976 and this partnership will certainly benefit all involved."

William Carey registration set

General registration for students entering William Carey College will be Friday, Aug. 13 on the Hattiesburg campus.

New students will begin the registration process in the Admissions Office in Tatum Court. Returning students will begin the registration process in the advisor's office in the department of their major.

For information about general registration, contact the Admissions Office at 601-582-6208 or 1-800-962-5991, ext. 208.

"Keep up with the local news by reading The Sea Coast Echo"

THE RIGHT LEADERSHIP FOR TOMORROW YOUR "FULL TIME" SUPERVISOR THOMAS "TOM" WILLIAMS DISTRICT 4 SUPERVISOR 467-4992

In answer to the present District 4 Supervisor's statement in his political ad that he has made being District 4 Supervisor his FULL TIME profession and has been PUTTING THE PEOPLE FIRST, I would like to ask him how he feels that he has been a "Full-Time" supervisor when, in actuality, according to Mississippi Ethics Commission records, during his 4 year tenure he has been a Sales Representative for E. Woods & Associates and has been the Owner/Operator of Dixieland Dkt. How can he say that he has been "Putting You, The People, First?"

I would like to issue a challenge to Mr. Seymour to meet me "One-On-One" in a debate concerning the issues of a "Full-Time" Supervisor for the people and other issues concerning District 4.

Sincerely,
Thomas "Tom" Williams
Candidate-Supervisor District 4
Your Full-Time Supervisor
467-4992 Or 467-9922

Pd Pol Adv by Thomas "Tom" Williams



JOHNNIE RICHARD

THE ONLY CANDIDATE IN SENATE DISTRICT 46 ENDORSED BY THE MISSISSIPPI ASSOC. OF EDUCATORS

On August 3rd, you will select a Republican candidate to represent you.

PLEASE CONSIDER THIS!

COMMITMENT

Native Mississippian, married 32 years to Sue Richard, father of two children. Educated in the Hancock School System. Property owner.

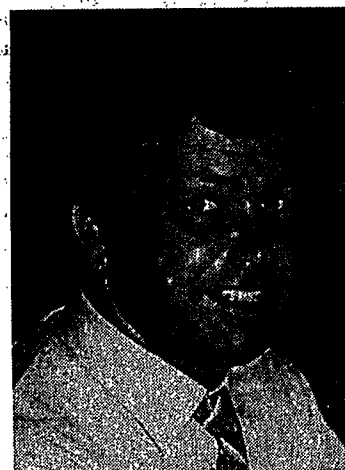
COMPASSION

Record of involvement with our senior citizens, schools, veterans, youth groups, special olympics.

LEADERSHIP

Board member of the Hancock Business & Pro Association. White House Conferences on Aging representing Mississippi in Washington, D.C. Advisor to Hancock County Vo-Tech building & trade department. Hancock County Equine & Livestock Facility Board, and more.

Paid political ad by Johnnie Richard



TOMMY CARVER JUSTICE COURT JUDGE-WEST

I am 43 years of age, four years law enforcement, married, five children, two grandchildren. Born and raised in Hancock County. To the residents of Hancock County, I pledge the following when elected as your Justice Court Judge, (West).

- * To speed up current court cases for cost effective hearings, even if it means adding an additional day for hearings.
- * To work closely with law enforcement and community leaders, for the betterment of Hancock County.
- * To visit the youth in our schools, to promote awareness in education, the importance of making intelligent, healthy, safe decisions in their lives.
- * To work with schools, community leaders and parents to establish youth recreation programs to entertain and keep our kids off the streets and away from crime.
- * To work to make our county a safe environment in school for our kids and parents.
- * To work with parents and troubled children to get the necessary help needed to encourage them to become law abiding, productive citizens in the community.
- * I promise to listen and judge each case individually, and fairly.
- * I will have an open door policy.
- * To work with fellow judges in other areas to serve the residents of Hancock County with fairness, honesty, and with open and caring judgements.

These are just some of the issues I stand for. I am always open for your suggestions and opinions. I serve you, the citizens of Hancock County. I have tried to visit as many of you as I could. I would like to take this means to ask for your support in the upcoming election. Your vote and support is greatly appreciated.

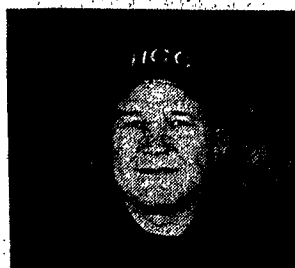
I would like to thank my opponents for a clean race and have enjoyed meeting with them on occasions as well.

**Please remember to vote Tuesday, August 3rd.
Without you, the voters, we cannot move ahead.
I want to do what is right and necessary for a better
and safe Hancock County.**

Paid political ad by Tommy Carver



**Re-Elect
Gary Bennett
Constable West
Hancock County**



Experienced - Dedicated - Qualified

During the past several months I have tried to see the people and for those I have missed, I sincerely apologize. I have served as your Constable in the West District of Hancock County for the past eleven and a half years. If re-elected I will continue to work diligently to carry out the duties and responsibilities of the office as mandated and will assist area law enforcement offices when called upon, as well as the citizens of Hancock County.

I am a 1988 graduate of the Jackson Police Academy, a member of the Mississippi Constables Association, a designated officer of the United States Customs Service, Blue Lightning Operations, Gulfport and a former auxiliary deputy with the Hancock County Sheriff's Department. Your vote and support will be appreciated on August 3rd.

Paid political ad by Gary Bennett

Thomas "Tom" Williams Candidate for Supervisor Dist 4 CHALLENGES

**ALL Candidates
to donate \$100 to the
American Cancer Society
Relay for Life
August 13, 1999
Hancock Medical Center Walking Track
6 pm - 6 am**

Team events to raise money for the
American Cancer Society

For more information or to make donations contact
Annabelle Lipscomb Moran 466-0252 or Deborah K.
Mauffray Williams 467-4992 or 467-9922

Pd Pol Adv by Thomas "Tom" Williams

St. Stanislaus to begin 146th academic year

St. Stanislaus will begin its 146th year of continuous academic instruction on Monday, Aug. 16.

St. Stanislaus students will begin an orientation program on Friday, Aug. 13. The program will be held to acquaint students with new policies and procedures and to take care of such items as school pictures, ID cards and parking permits.

Students attending St. Stanislaus must be appropriately dressed for classes. The St. Stanislaus student color-coordinated uniform consists of Khaki pleated pants, an official, monogrammed SSC knit pullover in red, black, or white—the school's colors—or a white Oxford dress shirt, a black leather belt and black leather dress shoes.

"We're advancing our programs at St. Stanislaus while remaining faithful to the school's mission and philosophy," said Brother Ronald Hingle, SC, principal. "To name two examples, our new service program will help to keep our students rooted in religious values and will assist them in putting their faith into practice. In addition, the new computer resource lab and new courses being offered will help us to continue to meet the challenge of academic excellence."

"The Honors Diploma Program was begun in the 1998-99 academic year and our first graduates to receive honors diplomas will be in the 1999-00 graduating class," said Fred Cherota, assistant principal for curriculum and instruction.

He said, "Currently eight seniors are pursuing this honor in accordance with the guidelines set forth in the student-parent handbook."

"The requirements of this program, a 3.5 or above grade point average and seven or more honors level courses during grades 10 through 12, make this a challenging and intensive academic pursuit."

"We are encouraged by the initial interest in this program and hope to have more students enter the program at the end of their freshman year of high school. The valedictorian and salutatorian will be selected from those students in the Honors Diploma Program."

The curricula for both junior high and high school have new offerings for the upcoming academic year at St. Stanislaus. New courses being offered at St. Stanislaus include English IV AP, computer discovery, journalism and painting.

"St. Stanislaus will offer English IV AP for the first time to challenge out most gifted English students," said Brother Ronald Hingle.

In addition to Internet access and telephone cables that have been installed in the junior and senior dorm rooms, a new PC lab will be up and running for the beginning of the 1999-00 academic year. The lab includes 27 Windows-based computers and a server connected through an NT network.

Friends and families of St.

Stanislaus are encouraged to visit the official St. Stanislaus web site at www.statan.com. The St. Stanislaus site features current events via articles, pictures and movies, alumni research tools and daily homework assignments.

To enhance the overall program at St. Stanislaus, a Fine Arts Guild will come into existence. The guild's purpose is to foster enrichment in the arts and will be open to students in grades 7-12.

The organization joins the numerous other spiritual, academic, athletic and service groups to round out the roster of student activities for the 1999-00 school session.

"If students feel good about themselves and about their school's extracurricular activities, there is a better chance that they will feel good about classroom work, discipline, and any other aspects of school that are necessary to develop them into the type of persons God has created them to be," said Susan Estrade, assistant principal for supervision and activities, in support of the Quality Programs from Educational Mission and Ministry of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart.

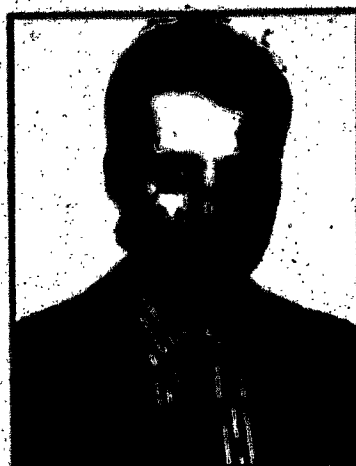
Students will dive into the year of activities with the Student Council/Key Club co-sponsored afternoon Beach Bash. Students will look forward to the Senior Leadership Breakfast, the annual Senior Ring Mass at Our Lady of the Gulf Church, Leadership and Honors convocation, and the Big Brother Little Brother Ceremony.

Athletically, the St. Stanislaus Rock-A-Chaws will start the 1999 football season at St. John High School on Aug. 27.

The 1999-00 St. Stanislaus administration consists of Brother Ronald Talbot, SC, president; Brother Ronald Hingle, SC, principal; Fred Cherota, assistant principal for curriculum and instruction; Susan Estrade, assistant principal for supervision, and activities; and Chuck Genin, assistant principal for discipline and attendance.

Elect ERIC MORAN

CONSTABLE WEST HANCOCK COUNTY



- Education-Gulfview Elem, Hancock N. Central, Mirimar College.
- Experience-T.A.D. Military Police U.S.M.C., Triple "I" Security.
- Community Involvement-Member of Numerous Youth Organizations.
- Commitment-It's time West Hancock County had a full-time constable who takes special interest in our citizens and especially our youth.
- Info Call-467-1312

Pd Pol Adv by Eric Moran



James K. "Ken" Overstreet Senate District 46 Campaign

**Republican Primary - Tuesday August 3rd
Republican Runoff - Tuesday August 24th**

Background : Mississippi Native - Coast Resident for past 17 years
Hancock County resident and property owner for past 13 years
Graduate MSU Electrical Engineering 1981-Engineer for past 20 years
Registered Professional Engineer in Mississippi and Louisiana- Electrician 2nd Amendment Activist - Republican Party Activist-Church Board Member

- Platform :** Less Government - Less Taxes/Govt Fee's - Fewer Lawsuits
- Casino Zoning Restrictions on new proposed casino locations (That the people in Diamondhead and other residential areas want)
 - Annexations - RIGHT TO VOTE on City/ County Tax District Annexations.
 - Oppose out of state garbage and promote recycling incentives
 - Preserve Mississippi's State Flag • Tort Reform-Stop Lawsuit Abuse
 - No Tax Increases or Mandatory Fee Increases
 - And much more ... see the website.

News Alert : The Sunday July 25th News Article reporting that I supported LAND BASED gambling casinos in Mississippi is FALSE. Also, the News Article claiming that I supported the use of public Universities to teach gambling courses is also FALSE. I have no idea where they got their information

Be Sure to Visit the Web Site and remember to vote in the

August 3rd Republican Primary

And to vote for

Overstreet for State Senate District 46

E-Mail: Overstreet_StateSenate46@yahoo.com - Phone#255-1425
Web Site : <http://members.xoom.com/senate46/> (Always Under Construction)

Paid Political ad by the Overstreet State Senate 46 Campaign



On Aug. 3 ELECT Jay Cuevas Supervisor Dist. 5

On Aug. 3rd, let's elect a person who cares about the future of Hancock County and the residents of District 5. We all had major tax increases during the last four years which raised our taxes to an unbelievable amount. I will strive to alleviate some of the tax burden which we have all encountered recently. With our county being one of the fastest growing areas of the state, we need a strong leader who will be open-minded and listen to the concerns of the residents of District 5 before making any decisions. We need to provide better parks and recreation for the youth of our county.

If elected, I assure you I will

- Be accessible
- Return all phone calls
- Hold regular community meetings
- Strive to lower taxes
- Work to provide better parks and facilities for the youth of the county.

Paid political ad by Jay Cuevas

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RE-ELECT NORMA C. STIGLET CORONER OF HANCOCK COUNTY

Native of Hancock County, graduate of St. Josephs Academy in Bay St. Louis, 23 years part-time and full-time experience in funeral business. Member of Mississippi Coroners Association.

QUALIFIED

10 years experience as Certified Coroner/county medical examiner investigator plus six years assisting my late husband as coroner.

Education includes:

Crime Scene Investigations and Drug Awareness.

Also completed studies in:

AIDS Awareness, Firearms Evidence, Forensic Anthropology, Serology, Toxicology, Odontology, Documentation Course and Occupational Exposure to bloodborne Pathogens.

Training Seminars include:

Southern Institute of Forensic Science Anthropology, motor vehicle/fatality seminar, numerous death investigations seminars and Mississippi Training Academy.

Experience includes:

1,900 Death Investigations involving fatalities, suicides, homicides, drownings, fire and natural causes.

400 death investigations assisting my late husband, Harold Stiglet.
900 hours of autopsy observations

*Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.
During the campaign I have tried to visit each of you personally. To those whom I may have missed, I use this means to request your vote and continued support.*

Paid political ad by Norma Stiglet



CHAMBERGRAM

Hancock County Chamber of Commerce

From the Executive Director

Our Member Services Committee under the leadership of Raymon McMillon has put together an outstanding second annual Business and Industry Expo set for August 26th. Chamber Members participating in the Expo are listed at right. Please join us from 3-7 p.m. for entertainment, refreshments, giveaways, a \$1000 cash drawing and to learn about the products and services available through your fellow Hancock Chamber Members.

Hancock Bank will host our monthly Business After Hours on August 29th at the Highway 90 branch in Bay St. Louis. Thanks are in order for our July After Hours hosted by the Hancock County Health Council at the Bay Library.

Be sure to exercise your right to vote this month during the primary elections and encourage your employees to do so as well.

Sincerely,
Amy Gregory

NOMINATING COMMITTEE SUBMITS SLATE FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The nominating committee, made up of David Treutel Jr., Betsy Ashman, and Jon William Ritten were appointed by the 1999 Board of Directors to come up with a slate of names for the 2000 Board of Directors. The nominating committee submits the following names to serve a 3-year term on the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors beginning in the year 2000:

Raymon McMillon, Mississippi Power Company
Harry Wilson, Waldemar Nelson and Co.
Bill Cotter, Stennis International Airport Director
Todd Riche, St. Stanislaus College
David O'Leary, Wellman, Inc.

The Board is composed of 15 elected members in good standing. With board approval, the president appoints 4 members. All elected directors serve a three year term, and rotate on the basis of five per year. All appointed directors serve a one year term.

Article VI, Section 3 of our By-Laws state, "The nominating committee shall set forth a slate of nominees of exactly the number of names needed for the election of directors for the ballot. The names will be submitted to the general membership for review on two separate occasions prior to September 15. Anyone interested in submitting their name to be included on the ballot has until October 1 to turn in a petition with signature of 10% of the general membership in good standing (62 members) to the Chamber office. If no additional names are received, the slate will be declared elected by acclamation. Should additional names be submitted, ballots will then be mailed to each member, who will make their selection by check mark for the number of seats open on the board and stated on the ballot."

SCORE Offers Free Business Advice

SCORE, Counselors to America's Small Businesses, offers free and confidential business advice. For 35 years, this nonprofit organization has assisted millions of Americans start and grow their businesses. SCORE provides small business management, planning and financing advice. SCORE, the Service Corps of Retired Executives, has more than 12,000 volunteer members nationwide who assist aspiring and existing small business owners. Score is also seeking business experts, managers, owners and executives to join to provide small business counseling and mentoring.

To volunteer or to set up a confidential, free counseling, call SCORE at 863-0054 or visit the SCORE website at www.score.org.

Promote your business by sponsoring an upcoming Business After Hours or Morning "Coffee Call" contact the Chamber office for details and available times.

ENVIRONMENTAL EXPLORER TROOP ADVISORS NEEDED

The Hancock County Chamber Environmental Committee seeks adult volunteers willing to serve as advisors to a new Environmental Explorer Troop. Even though this is a Boy Scout program, both young ladies and men ages 14-21 will be participating, therefore both men and women advisors are needed. You need to be able to meet at least monthly with the troop and be willing to participate in periodic activities at other times during the year. If you would like to volunteer as an advisor or need more information, please contact Ron Magee, NASA Environmental Officer and the Chairman of the Hancock Chamber Environmental Committee at 688-7384.

Economic Indicators

June, 1999 (1998)

Retail Sales Tax - City Diversions

Bay St. Louis	282,993.21 (93,664.44)
Waveland	136,127.48 (122,616.86)

Building Permits Total/Residential

Diamondhead	32/16 (22/15)
Hancock County	101/13 (102/19)
Bay St. Louis	63/2 (43/4)
Waveland	36/6 (25/5)

Visitor Counts

Hancock Co. Welcome Ctr	78,224 (76,980)
Buccaneer State Park	41,400 (59,080)
Stennis Space Center	10,435 (10,199)
McLeod Water Park	14,660 (13,287)

Unemployment Rate

	June 1999(1998)	May 1999(1998)
Hancock County	4.6 (4.6)	4.6 (3.8)
Mississippi	5.5 (6.3)	4.9 (5.3)
United States	4.5 (4.7)	4.0 (4.2)

PLEASE VOTE
RE-ELECT **LEO LADNER**
CONSTABLE EAST

ELECT
Cedric Ladner
Judge West
Hancock County



WE NEED A JUDGE

1. Dedicated, Honest and Fair
2. Who knows what it is to be an everyday person
3. Who you can talk to face to face

By electing me you will have that type of judge.

Pd Pol Adv by Cedric Ladner

VOTE TABULATOR DEMONSTRATION

There will be a public demonstration of the vote counting equipment to be used in the August 3, 1999 Primary election. The demonstration will be held in the office of the Circuit Clerk at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, August 2, 1999.

Pamela T. Metzler
Hancock County
Circuit Clerk

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Hancock County
Chamber of Commerce
Beautification Committee

A message from
STEVE GARBER
Candidate
For Sheriff
Hancock County



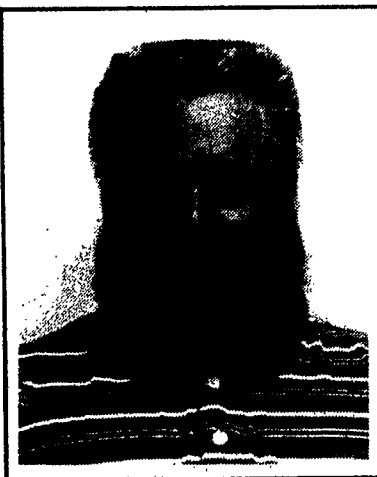
As we approach the final days of the campaign, I wish to thank everyone for the warm and kind reception given me during my visit with you. I have tried diligently to visit with each of you. If I have missed anyone however, I would like to take this opportunity and ask for your vote on August 3rd.

My message is simple, I plan to bring positive change to law enforcement in Hancock County. My top priority is to significantly reduce the drug traffic which is stealing our children's future. In addition, I plan to develop a more highly trained and professional department whose primary purpose will be to serve and protect the people of Hancock County. I plan to significantly increase the amount of patrolling within the county and to prioritize victims rights which will include a personal and continuous follow up by investigators during the investigation of a crime.

Thank you for your vote,
Steve Garber

Pd Pol adv by Steve Garber

ELECT ALBERT NECAISE
Judge West
Democratic Primary
Tuesday, Aug. 3



- Bachelor of Science in criminal justice with pre-law emphasis from the University of Southern Mississippi
- Four years enforcement experience
- Lifelong resident of Hancock County
- I will be your judge 24-hours a day
- I believe in alternative sentencing in certain circumstances

"I have tried to visit with each of you in the west district. If I was unable to contact you personally, please accept this as my request for your support and vote."

Paid political ad by Albert Nécaise

Remembering Camille:

'You could see the 'black' coming in!'

(Editor's note: This is the first in a series of eight stories tracing the death and destruction of Hurricane Camille on the Mississippi Gulf Coast on Aug. 17, 1969. The stories are based on interviews with survivors a decade after the storm by the University of Southern Mississippi Oral History Program, currently directed by Dr. Charles Bolton. The interviewer was R. Wayne Pyle of USM.)

BY PHIL HEARN

Wade Guice decided it was time to activate the Emergency Operations Center. The veteran Harrison County civil defense director issued orders for an increased state of readiness—routine action when a storm enters the Gulf of Mexico.

It was Friday, Aug. 15, 1969. Spawned by a tropical wave, Camille had been detected by the National Hurricane Center the previous day, located about 480 miles south of Miami. She matured rapidly, moving across Cuba that Friday with 92-mile-an-hour winds and 10 inches of rainfall.

"It was time to top off all the fuel tanks and do our hurricane plans, prepare to cancel leaves...check inventories...just gear up, tighten up to spring into action in the event

we did have to evacuate..." explained Guice, 42 at the time of the storm, civil defense director since 1961.

Early on the 16th, a hurricane watch was established from Biloxi to St. Marks, Fla. By evening, Camille was packing 160-mile-an-hour winds.

Thirty-eight-year-old Jerry Peralta, recently discharged from the U.S. Air Force and installed as police chief in his hometown of Pass Christian, drove eastward down the beach to Gulfport about 7:00 p.m. that Saturday night to pick up his wife's parents. They were returning from a trip to St. Louis.

"That night, you could tell something was going to happen," he told an interviewer with the University of Southern Mississippi Oral History Program in 1979. "It was—I can't describe it to you—it was a quiet, still, something's coming night."

Early Sunday, the 17th, Camille was plotted about 200 miles southeast of New Orleans with winds of 160 miles an hour at her center and tides estimated at 20 feet above normal. Hurricane warnings were issued for the entire Mississippi Gulf Coast. By 7 p.m., the killer storm was raking offshore oil rigs 60 miles from New Orleans.

"By the time we received

notice of this increased severity of the storm, our evacuation job was about 90 percent complete: bumper-to-bumper traffic, people leaving...with the exception of some who did not heed the warning," Guice said in a 1980 interview.

Peralta and other members of his small police force, manning patrol cars equipped with loud speakers, began cruising the city's neighborhoods about 5 p.m. in an effort to encourage evacuation. Over at the Richelieu Apartments, located across U.S. 90 from the beach, about 25 residents of the three-story complex were planning a hurricane watch party.

"The Richelieu was a terrible thing," Peralta recalled. "I went there two or three times. Mr. and Mrs. Jones were the managers of it. I can picture him standing right there talking to me; he had a drink in his hand, and he wore glasses."

"I said, 'Mr. Jones, if the water gets over this first story, what are you going to do?' He said, 'Well, I'm going to go up to the third floor.' I said, 'Well, if you get up to that third floor and that floor washes out from underneath you, what are you going to do?'"

"He said, 'I guarantee—well I don't think it'll get there.' Well, none of us did, you know. It was a three-story building. And he said, 'I don't think it'll

get that bad.'"

A lot of Gulf Coast old timers had ridden out the hurricane of 1947, the most powerful storm in recent history prior to Camille. Many of them stayed in beachfront homes along the Mississippi shoreline from Waveland to Ocean Springs, thinking this one would be no worse. They would regret it.

The big siren at the Pass Christian fire station went off about 6 p.m., signaling the hurricane's approach. Looking out into the gulf, Peralta saw a shrimp boat racing toward shore.

"That water was just as calm as it could be, but right behind it, you could see the black coming in," said the police chief, who died in 1982.

Transformers and telephone lines blowing about 6:30 p.m. The water began rising rapidly about 9 p.m. and by 10 p.m., it was bad. Peralta rode up and down Pass Christian's Second Street in an amphibious "duck" vehicle "getting people out of the attics, out of the trees and out of the water and everywhere."

Camille moved inland just east of Bay St. Louis, reaching its full fury about midnight. The storm devastated the Mississippi Gulf Coast with winds clocked at more than 200 miles an hour and tidal wave surges of up to 30 feet. A record-low barometric pressure reading of 26.85 was recorded.

Mississippi's 26-mile stretch of gulf shore along scenic U.S. 90—with its fashionable beachfront homes, hotels, marinas, lounges and souvenir shops—was a shambles.

Some vacant lots, slabs, steps and driveways leading to nowhere are still visible today—a stark contrast to the glittering gambling casinos and high-rise hotels that dominate the coastline today between New Orleans and Mobile.

The Camille death toll in Mississippi alone reached 132, including 23 souls who perished when the Richelieu Apartments complex was leveled. The national death toll reached 256 as Camille sparked flooding through Tennessee, Kentucky, West Virginia and Virginia before exiting into the Atlantic.

"We lost 132 precious lives in the storm," said Guice, who died of cancer in 1996. "I consider each of them a personal failure. And the ghosts of my failures cry out to me every time I drive down the beach—and that's a heavy burden, indeed...I hope no one in the whole world has to go through another Camille."

(Phil Hearn is a former longtime Mississippi newspaper reporter and editor who worked for United Press International from 1968-1980. A native of Laurel, he has served since 1984 as assistant public relations for news services at USM in Hattiesburg.)



ELECT PAULA LADNER FAYARD

Justice Court Judge West

Married to Kenneth Fayard, mother of two children, Shawn and Shannon. Life-long resident of Waveland and Hancock County. Employed by the City of Waveland for 18 years as Municipal Court Clerk, member of the Mississippi Municipal Court Clerk's Association.

During my campaign, I have tried to visit each of you personally. To those I have missed, I take this opportunity to ask for your vote and support in the Democratic Primary on August 3, 1999.

Paid political ad by Paula Ladner Fayard

RODERICK "ROCKY" PULLMAN SUPERVISOR, DISTRICT 2



In the past 3 1/4 years, I have enjoyed serving the people of District 2 as your Supervisor. I have worked hard to listen to you and given my best effort to voice your concerns and address your problems on a daily basis. I have answered phone calls daily and have "faced the issues" that were of major concern to the future of Hancock County. I again ask that you consider me to represent you as Supervisor for the next 4 years.

PLEASE VOTE
RODERICK "ROCKY" PULLMAN IN THE
DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ON AUGUST 3RD.
THANK YOU.

Pd Pol Adv by Roderick "Rocky" Pullman

★★ELECT★★ CANDEE BREAUX



ASSESSOR/

TAX COLLECTOR HANCOCK COUNTY

Qualifications-13 years as Deputy Assessor, Field Appraiser, E-911 Coordinator

☒ Dedicated ☒ Experienced
☒ Qualified ☒ Professional

EDUCATION-Designations obtained:

Certified Appraiser, Assessment Evaluator I, International Association of Assessing Officers (IAAO)
Courses taken: Fundamentals of Real Property Appraisal, Income Approach to Valuation, Mississippi Real Estate Appraiser, Licensing & Certification Board, Recertification School-1989-1999, J. Daniel Schroeder Real Estate Education Co.-Certification Course for Appraisal Licensing

VOTE BREAUX
Tuesday, August 3rd
Hancock County
Tax Assessor/Collector

Paid political ad by Candee Breaux

Thinking globally

New business degree has roots at USM

One of the newest degree programs at the University of Southern Mississippi doesn't look its age.

At its July 15 meeting, the state College Board gave Southern Miss permission to begin granting bachelor of science degrees in international business. The first such degrees will be awarded in December.

While the degree may be brand new, the International Business program at USM certainly isn't. "We, basically, are getting permission to do what we have been doing for several years," said Dr. Bill Gunther, dean of the College of Business Administration.

Established in 1982 as an emphasis area in the Economics Department, the International Business program started with just eight students. Now, more than 200 students are in the program.

"It is the fastest growing program at the university," said Dr. Eddie Lewis, USM's Kaetsu Distinguished Professor of International Business and director of the program. "The program has really proved itself; it has grown by leaps and bounds."

Lewis said the International Business program's popularity — it has grown by 18 percent each year — is a sign of the times.

"The push is on for exporting," she said. "Business people are thinking globally, and they are looking for people who

understand foreign markets."

Brent Flanagan — a senior from Southaven who plans to be one of the university's first graduates with a degree in International Business in December — agrees with Lewis.

"With communications and transportation getting better, the world is getting smaller," he said. "It has really opened up the world for commerce."

After graduation, Flanagan will spend six months in France studying international business at Ecole Supérieure du Commerce Internationale. The USM program requires all its students to participate in at least one study-abroad experience.

Flanagan said the one aspect of the International business program he feels has helped prepare him the most is a project he did as a student consultant for a local pine resin producer.

Working with a team of other students, he researched the various aspects of delving into foreign markets — from international law and currency rates to market strength and interest rates.

"It was one of the better experiences I've had in the program," Flanagan said. "It's something I can put on my resume."

Lewis predicted the International Business program will continue to grow at USM. The support of the present and immediate past administrations, as well as the work of faculty in the College of Business Admini-

nistration, has set a solid foundation, she said.

"It's very gratifying for me, to have been with the program from its beginnings, to be going into retirement as it becomes a degree program," she said. "It makes me feel like I've contributed something."

Southern Miss also has a doctoral program in international development, offered through the USM College of International and Continuing Education's Department of Economic Development.

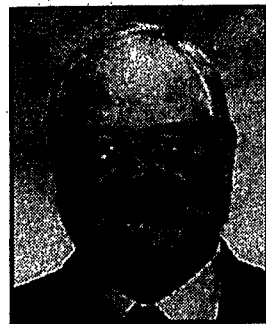
Pascagoula Harbor project

The U.S. Army awarded a contract to Bean Stuyvesant, LLC to begin work on Channel Development, Phase 2 at Pascagoula Harbor, U.S. Senators Trent Lott and Thad Cochran announced.

The work includes deepening of the main harbor channel from the Gulf entrance through Horn Island to the intersection with Bayou Casotte Channel.

The Bayou Casotte Channel will be widened and deepened from the intersection with the main channel up to and including the lower turning basin.

The amount of this action is \$2,450,000 and the estimated total value of the contract is \$30,669,230. Bean Stuyvesant, LLC is based in Belle Chasse, La.



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Pd Pol Adv By Thomas "Tom" Williams

Twelve law firms to share more than \$1.4 billion in tobacco fees

(AP) — A dozen law firms that participated in the state's successful battle with the tobacco industry were formally awarded \$1.4 billion in fees and expenses Thursday.

"Given the level of risk that we undertook, which included the expenditure of millions of dollars of our own money, the attorneys' fees awarded in this case is entirely justified and consistent with precedent," said Richard Scruggs of Pascagoula, whose law firm receives more than \$300 million under the payment plan.

Joining Scruggs at the top of the payment list, also at more than \$300 million, is the firm of Ronald Motley of Charleston, S.C.

Eleven of the 12 law firms are in Mississippi.

"We took an enormous risk and got an unbelievable result for the citizens of Mississippi, i.e. \$4.2 billion and removal of all outdoor (tobacco) advertising aimed at kids," Scruggs

said in a telephone interview with The Associated Press as he flew to New York with his wife and daughter. "That money is being used to fund all sorts of public health projects to enrich the lives of Mississippians."

Chancery Judge Williams Myers of Pascagoula, who presided over the case, gave his blessing to the fee award worked out in December by a three-member arbitration panel, which included a tobacco industry representative. The fees will be paid in installments by the tobacco industry.

Attorney General Mike Moore has said the fees are separate from the \$4 billion settlement that he helped negotiate two years ago.

State lawmakers set up a trust fund this year and agreed to use that money for health care.

The trust fund presently contains about \$300 million, State Treasurer Marshall

Bennett said. Myers, in his order, said the fees agreed to by the parties are "appropriate and reasonable given the risks undertaken by counsel, the results obtained for the citizens of Mississippi, and the fact that none of said fees or expenses diminished or came from the state's recoveries."

The size of the fees had been criticized by Gov. Kirk Fordice and his former top aide, Mark Garriga, who is now challenging Moore's re-election this year.

Garriga, a Republican, gave a blistering speech on the subject Wednesday at the Neshoba County Fair. He described the amount of the fees as "an obscene, unethical, intolerable payoff to his (Moore's) pals."

Moore, a Democrat, is a longtime friend of Scruggs.

Meeting with reporters Wednesday afternoon, Moore said it had been clear from the beginning that an arbitration panel would determine attorney fees. He said the private law firms had signed on knowing there would be no contingency fee.

"This is a political issue that Gov. Fordice and Mr. Garriga have been harping on for three years now," Moore said. "I think it's time to stop this discussion. This is a dead issue. It's time to get on with a new issue."

Moore admitted that the private attorneys were being "hugely awarded."

One of Garriga's biggest complaints has been that tobacco prices rose dramatically with the settlement of tobacco lawsuits around the country. He said for that reason, smokers are carrying the burden of paying for the legal battles.

Moore did not disagree. "What always happens in these cases is the industry passes on these costs to the consumer," Moore said. "If they chose to increase the prices, the tobacco companies made that decision on their own."

Scruggs, according to the settlement, is to receive 23.75 percent of the total fee struc-

ture of \$1.43 billion. Scruggs total would be \$339.8 million.

Motley, whose South Carolina law firm is handling several tobacco cases, will get 21.25 percent of the total, or \$304 million.

Scruggs, who said his firm had spent approximately \$5 million on behalf of the state in taking on the tobacco industry, said the money would be paid in installments during the next 15 years.

Scruggs, 53, said he was not surprised at Garriga's criticism of the payment because "Mark Garriga has been an insurance and tobacco defense lawyer all his life. He has never tried a criminal case... I suppose he wants to send the \$4 billion back."

Scruggs said the major impact the millions of dollars would have on his life would be to free his law firm to take on cases "that I think are in the public interest for free, without charging a fee in some cases."



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Voters need to know party, where to vote

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS

The 1999 Democratic and Republican primaries will be held Tuesday with polls open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Pam Metzler, Hancock County Circuit Clerk and Registrar of Voters, urges all qualified electors to know the party they plan to vote for prior to Tuesday.

"I suggest that they study the list of candidates for both parties and make up their minds about the party they will be voting prior to going to the polls," Metzler said.

A copy of the candidates in the Democratic and Republican primaries are published in this issue of The Echo along with a list of polling places.

Metzler continued, "There will be long ballots, as there are many candidates seeking party nominations, so this may cause some delays at the polls."

Metzler also urged voters to know the precinct they vote in and also its location before election day.

If voters do not know their precinct, they can call the circuit clerk's office on Monday at

467-5265, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Mississippi does not allow cross-over voting in primary elections, so if voters vote in one party's primary, they cannot vote in a run-off election of the other party.

Tuesday's election and the run-offs on August 24, will be run by the respective executive committees of the Hancock County Democratic and Republican parties.

Metzler urged persons not knowing the precinct they vote in to please call her office as soon as possible, as the clerk's office staff can give them the information from a computer prior to election day.

The general election which will include the nominees from the August primaries, Independent and other party affiliations will be in the general election on November 2, 1999.

"The November 2 election will be run by the Hancock County election commissioners," Metzler added.

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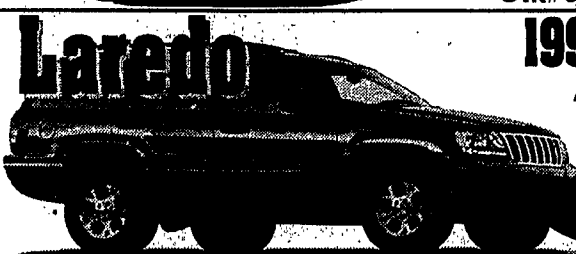
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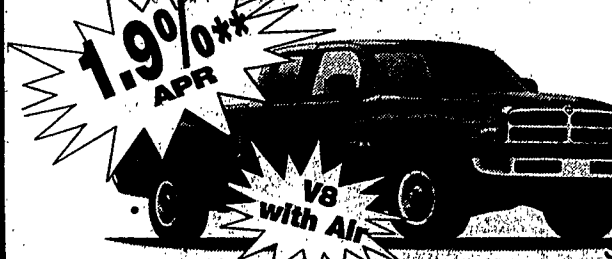
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Gulf of Mexico Program identifies 12 priority areas for projects

In conjunction with the Fourth of July celebration of the birth of our nation the Gulf of Mexico Program announced a new initiative that may be the birth of renewed and healthier beaches, habitats, and watersheds throughout coastal Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, and Florida.

"We've identified 12 priority areas in the Gulf where we will provide resources and target projects aimed at improving water quality, protecting the creatures and the important habitats that sustain them, and ensuring that people continue to have a safe food supply and clean waters for swimming," said Jim Giatina, director of the Gulf of Mexico Program.

The 12 areas are the Lower Laguna Madre, the Corpus Christi bays and estuaries, and Galveston Bay in Texas; the Barataria Terrebonne bays and Lake Pontchartrain in Louisiana; the Mississippi coastal waters of the Magnolia State; Mobile Bay in Alabama; and in Florida, Pensacola Bay, the Suwannee River and estuary, Tampa Bay, Sarasota Bay, and Charlotte Harbor. Giatina says seven of these areas have already been recognized as estuaries of national significance under the National Estuary Program established by the Clean Water Act.

Local programs are underway in those seven communities with active involvement by broad constituencies. But because the health of the Gulf is dependent on the health of its estuaries, the Gulf of Mexico Program is committing to support the ongoing work in those estuaries and extending the lessons learned to the other five coastal areas targeted for assistance.

David Struhs, secretary of the Florida Department of Environmental Protection and a partner in the Gulf of Mexico Program, said this place-based initiative will go a long way toward promoting sustainable communities and tourism. "In Florida we're building partnerships to protect and restore our coastal waters. The Gulf Program's initiative will boost our efforts to protect these priority watersheds along our Gulf Coast," noted Struhs.

Mike Lyons, environmental affairs manager for the Louisiana Mid Continent Oil & Gas Association and also a partner to the Gulf Program, is optimistic about the focus on specific coastal communities. "The Gulf is a valuable resource for the entire nation," said Lyons. "Not only because the Gulf

provides 90 percent of our offshore energy production, but because of its fisheries and tourism values as well. We do business in the Gulf, but we also live and vacation on its shores, so we want to do our part to ensure the long term environmental health, as well as economic productivity of the region." Lyons said the Barataria-Terrebonne and Lake Pontchartrain basins are very important and are the focus of a number of strategies to restore coastal Louisiana under the landmark Coast 2050 Plan, endorsed by the Governor and a host of parishes and agencies.

Ned Meister works for the Texas Farm Bureau and chairs the Gulf Program's Citizens Advisory Committee. "The Gulf Program is about implementing voluntary environmental solutions that work in concert with economic growth," said Meister. "We realize that we are one big community with one very valuable resource to protect. We're doing that through the Gulf of Mexico Program, and we are doing it in a way that people can maintain their livelihoods and continue to enjoy a high quality of life."

Deborah Dawkins is the chair of the Gulf Restoration Network steering committee, an environmental group, and says that the Gulf of Mexico Program's partnership will bring critical support to improving the environmental quality in the 12 priority areas. "The Gulf of Mexico Program is dedicated to keeping the Gulf healthy and productive," she said. "The environmental community is committed to working with all interests to achieve positive results in these areas as well."

Giatina said one of the Gulf of Mexico Program's many valuable partners is the Department of the Navy, with their unparalleled technical skills and knowledge in ocean and coastal environments. Recently, the Naval Oceanographic Office and the Naval Research Laboratory with assistance from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources and the Gulf of Mexico Program Office partnered with the University of Southern Mississippi to develop a state-of-the-art coastal modeling system. When fully operational, the modeling system will provide critical information to environmental managers in Mobile Bay and the Mississippi coastal area allowing them to better manage and protect coastal waters.

"This initiative by the Gulf Program really complements efforts underway in the state of

Mississippi to develop a world class scientific information system," said Jimmy Palmer, executive director of the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality and former co-chair of the Gulf Program's Policy Review Board. "We intend to develop a state-wide system that will ultimately supply real time data to businesses and industries and to the citizens of the state," added Palmer. "We want to make scientific information, and particularly environmental information, more accessible so that we can improve our decision making processes at all levels."

According to Gregg Cooke,

Regional Administrator for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency in Dallas, Texas, these 12 priority areas are just the start. "They were picked based on state priorities," said Cooke. "As we achieve environmental successes in these important areas, we hope to attract the additional resources needed to expand the work of the Gulf Program in other critically important areas. We want to be in a position to achieve successes in all 95 coastal watersheds so that we can do our best to achieve both a sustainable environment and a sustainable economy for the Gulf region."

Mississippi transportation projects funded

The United States Department of Transportation has released \$1,232,939 for three projects that will help improve the management of Mississippi's highways through new technology and traffic management systems, announced Senators Thad Cochran and Trent Lott. The Mississippi Department of Transportation will receive \$441,469 to fund a statewide study to determine how Mississippi's transportation needs can be met more efficiently and a project to install a facility between Kewanee and Meridian to monitor truck weights while they are in motion.

The project will reduce congestion by helping to minimize the number of trucks that must be stopped for weight and other checks.

The City of Jackson will receive \$791,469 for a project that will add technology such as fiber optic cable, variable message signs, Internet integration and other improvements that will build on the city's traffic management center, which controls signals at 156 intersections and video surveillance at 10 intersections. This will provide real-time traffic information to the motoring public.

Heatwave

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and can't breath," he said. Cleveland said this time last year he had treated about 50 horses suffering from the disease and had to put some down. "We saw one today, but only about five to 10 so far this year," said Cleveland.

His advice to farmers with horses and cows: "Provide them with plenty of water. And, they don't feel much like eating, so provide them some extra fat in their diet."

Wade Ladner, Hancock County's part-time 4-H assistant, has a herd of about 20 French beef cattle (Charolais), and says the cows are white and able to withstand the heat better than others.

He said black cattle are more affected by heat, but all cattle lose some weight because they don't eat as much.

Humans were also seeking relief from the heat.

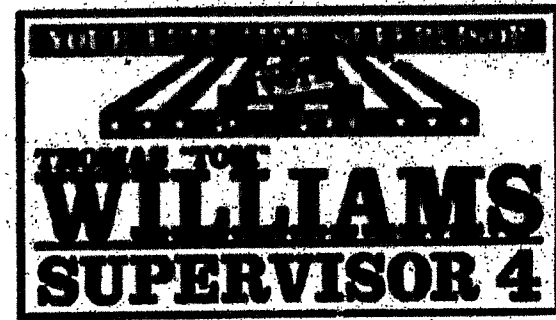
The Echo toured the shore-

line from Waveland to Bay St. Louis this week, and there were only a few die-hard sun worshippers actually lying on the beach in the direct, steaming sun.

At some spots, adults were sitting in lawn chairs in the water, while others were seen floating on rubber rafts.

Buccaneer State Park was doing a booming business, mostly with children flocking to the wading pool or others climbing up the steep stairwell to slide down into cool the water from the double water slide.

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During this campaign, I've tried to visit with as many of you as possible. To those I have not spoken with, let me take this opportunity to ask for your intelligent, informed vote and support in the August 3, 1999 primary.

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Voter -- heavy turnout

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cratic or Republican ticket. Voters cannot cross over in the Aug. 24 runoff election. That means, if you voted Democratic on Tuesday, you can't turn around and vote the Republican ticket in the runoff election.

A total of 28 voting precincts

will be open through Hancock County, and the registrar's office has purchased 10 additional voting machines to prepare for the primaries. Three Republican poll workers and Three Democrats will be stationed at each precinct to assist voters.

The precincts will open at 7 a.m. Tuesday and will close at 7 p.m.

Results will be tallied and announced at the County Courthouse in downtown Bay St. Louis shortly after the polls are closed.



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"And getting back to the pay raises of the Supervisors of Hancock County...these people know when they take office, what they are going to make, and if you are going to raise the salary of the Supervisor, it should start on the next four year term. The people that work for the county, they got pennies. The present Supervisors, they raised their salary several thousand dollars a year or more..."

"Now getting back to the question of out of state garbage...if the people of Hancock County wouldn't have spoken up, and let the Supervisors know that we don't want out of state garbage, we would have already had that. That would have been a done deal. The people that own these garbage dumps are just looking to make the big dollars, because they don't have to smell the garbage or worry about it poisoning their water."

"And all of these brand new black-topped roads that we're getting, I think that is the most unfair thing that they did, with floating the bond to get the money in 1997. They were sitting on the money until election time. That really puts a squeeze on other people running for Supervisor. After having dirt for thirty years, they get black-topped road and they think that's great. I hope the people will stop and look to see what is going on, and give me the opportunity to serve as your Supervisor for the next four years."

"Here we are having casinos. The casinos have been assigned to Bayou Caddy. This means we're going to have some more revenue here. If we make the revenue off of Bayou Caddy, I think that we could raise the Deputy Sheriffs' pay, to where at least, they could take care of their family, and we could bring the Volunteer Fire Departments, especially the little ones, and get them where they would have a little more money, so they could keep their equipment going."

"I'm running for Supervisor because I think I can make a difference. I am asking you to vote for me. I have worked with the people before. I'm a homebuilder and I have build a lot of homes in Hancock County. I am asking the people of District 1 to vote for G.W. Graham in this Supervisor's race. I've worked hard. I've went everyday to parts of Lakeshore, Waveland, Clemont Harbor, Ansley, and I have missed some people. I tried not to. To those I have missed, I use this means to request your vote and continuous support, and I will keep campaigning all the way up to election day. I hope to see you at the poles. I just hope that the people of District 1 will get out and vote, and make your choice. Be heard. Go vote regardless of who you are voting for. Be heard."

Pd. Pol. Adv. by G.W. Graham

Stennis -- budget cuts may cost jobs

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Shuttle Support, Earth Sciences and Commercial Remote Sensing programs and a halt to all Advanced Propulsion Development work that means so much to the future of the center.

"We have seen ups and downs in the fortunes of the Stennis Space Center, but usually at times when the nation was undergoing downturns in its overall economy. It seems absurd to cut NASA's successful and exciting exploration programs at a time in our history

when the economy is at one its highest peaks -- certainly the highest in the last 30 years.

"It is especially disturbing to see these Congressional shenanigans and political games played out when the Stennis Space Center is doing so well and making a major contribution to the progress and growth of Hancock County.

"We understand that these cutbacks would, if carried through by the House and Senate, effect not only the future

of NASA at the site, but the other agencies as well because of the overall structure of the center.

"We urge Senator Trent Lott, Representative Gene Taylor and our state legislative officials to use all of their power of their offices to stop this unnecessary and senseless political gamemanship immediately.

"Instead, the Congress should be taking notes on the success of NASA and the way it

manages our tax dollars."

Dr. Martin Berry is the Partners in Stennis chairman.

Partners in Stennis is an advocacy team, organized to promote the activities at the NASA John C. Stennis Space Center. Membership includes a partnership between community leaders from Hancock, Harrison and Pearl River counties, in addition to neighboring Louisiana parishes.

Chief -- judge rules against Bourgeois

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that all his paperwork was in order.

When Ladner's eligibility was first questioned in early July, he sought the certificate and learned that as of July 1, the Department of Education no longer issues them.

Bourgeois claimed that Ladner did not have at least four

years of classroom or administrative experience. Ladner contends he has 10 years, including the last five years as work-based learning coordinator for the Hancock County School District.

Oddly, it was Bourgeois who hired Ladner for the position

when she was superintendent.

And, don't count the other Ladner out of the race just yet.

The independent candidate has hired Pass Christian attorney Malcolm Jones to represent him in an appeal that will be made all the way to the Mississippi Supreme Court.

Jones, who also represented Bourgeois, said he hopes to get a ruling on Ladner's candidacy before the November general election.

Incumbent Supt. Terry Randolph has no Republican challengers in his bid to retain the county's chief education spot.

Incumbents -- challenges old and new

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In District 2, Hancock County School Board President Cheryl Bennett of Pearlinton will try to wrest the Democratic nomination from incumbent Rodrick "Rocky" Pullman of Pearlinton.

In District 3, incumbent Lisa Coward will vie against Republican John Caulkins of Diamondhead. Democrats seeking the nomination from District 3 include former Hancock County Supervisor Roger Dale Ladner and real estate developer Clifton Saucier of the Standard Community.

District 4 incumbent Supervisor Steve Seymour faces an old foe: Tom Williams ran against him last time and forced a special election to decide the winner after he contested results of the Democratic runoff election. Another Democrat challenging Seymour is Kiln businesswoman Billy Lyons, who is serving a second term on the Hancock County School Board, and Kiln resident Wayne Whitney. There are no Republican candidates for District 4.

Incumbent and first-term Supervisor Philip Moran has drawn a crowded field in the District 5 race. A Democrat, Moran faces Rick Fair, contractor Jay Cuevas and businessman Joseph "J.P." Jody Compretta. The Republican field in District 5 includes: businessman David Depreo, who narrowly lost to Moran last time around, businessmen Perry Berens and Danny Johnson.

The Tax Collector/Assessor's seat that was held since 1978 by Democrat Eddie Murtagh is also up for grabs.

Democratic candidates include deputy tax collector Carolyn Maurigi Adam, businessman Joe Bermond and Jimmie Ladner Jr., a former Election

Commissioner.

Republicans seeking the nomination include Murtagh's longtime chief appraiser E. Lee Bennett, and deputy tax assessor Candace Breaux.

Circuit Clerk Pam Metzler, who is serving her fourth term in office, faces two Democratic challengers. They are: secretary Jo Ellon Necaise and Judy M. Ladner, deputy Hancock County Justice Court Clerk. There are no Republican candidates.

Republican incumbent Terry Randolph is unopposed for a second consecutive term as Hancock County School Superintendent, but there are two candidates vying for the Democratic nomination. They include Myrna Ladner Bourgeois, who served as superintendent from 1992 until 1996, when she was defeated by Randolph in her bid for re-election, and veteran teacher Mike Ladner.

The Justice Court-West-seat vacated by retiring Judge Lee Klein has drawn nine Democratic candidates. Attorney Harry Ward is unopposed for the Republican nomination.

The Democratic candidates are: Albert D. Biehl, III; Tommy Carver; Donna M. Dougherty; Paula Ladner Fayard; Stella H. Frilot; Cedric Ladner; Albert Necaise; Derek Peterson; and L.J. "Larry" Peterson.

In the Justice Court-East-division, incumbent Joseph "Joe" Dobson Sr. is being challenged for the Democratic nomination by J. Bryan Vonder Brugge and Kelly Walker. There are no Republican candidates.

The Constable-West-Divisions race has three candidates vying wrest the post from longtime incumbent Democrat Gary L. Bennett. Other Demo-

crats running are: James I. Holden, Sr.; Eric Moran, Sr. and Kurt A. Necaise. There are no Republican candidates.

In the Constable-East-Division, incumbent Democrat Leo Ladner is being challenged by Danny Hamby, James L. Netto and Lester B. Owen, Jr. There are two Republican candidates: Linda Buckley and Brian Cuevas.


In the race for county coroner, incumbent Norma Stiglet will face Democratic opponent Jim Odom, a former deputy coroner and medical examiner. Republicans seeking the nomination include Terese Richardson, who has a degree in funeral directing and embalming; and Blake C. Brown, who has experience in nursing and pharmaceutical fields.

State Sen. Scottie Cuevas is

unopposed for the Democratic nomination for his District 46 seat in the legislature, but there are three Republicans seeking the nomination to go against him in the November general election. Candidates include: freelance journalist David Koger; electrical engineer and consultant James K. "Ken" Overstreet of Diamondhead; and Kiln businessman Johnny Richard.

State Rep. Dirk Dedeaux of the Sellars Community has no opposition for the Democratic nomination to serve House District 93 for a second term, but he will face Republican Gerald Switzer in the November general election.

Incumbent Democrat Tim Kellar also has no opposition for his Chancery Court seat Tuesday, but faces Republican Kyle Ahlers of Kiln in November.



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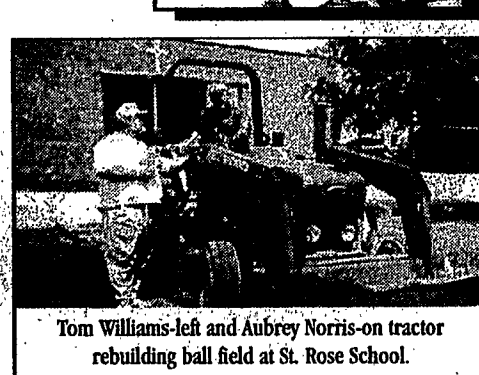
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Leann Williams and "Penny" at Hancock County 4-H Farm Day at Hancock North Central Elementary.



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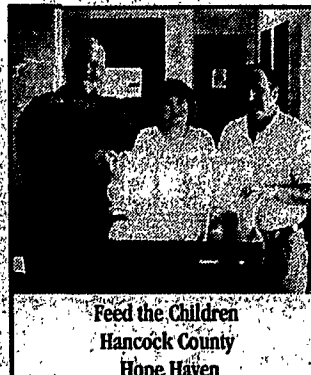
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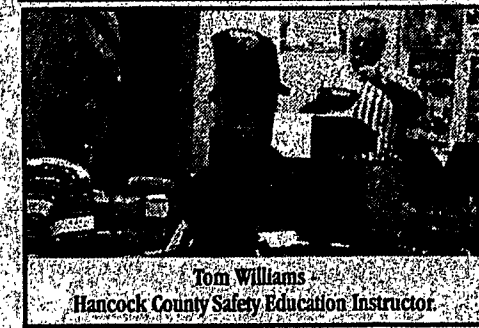
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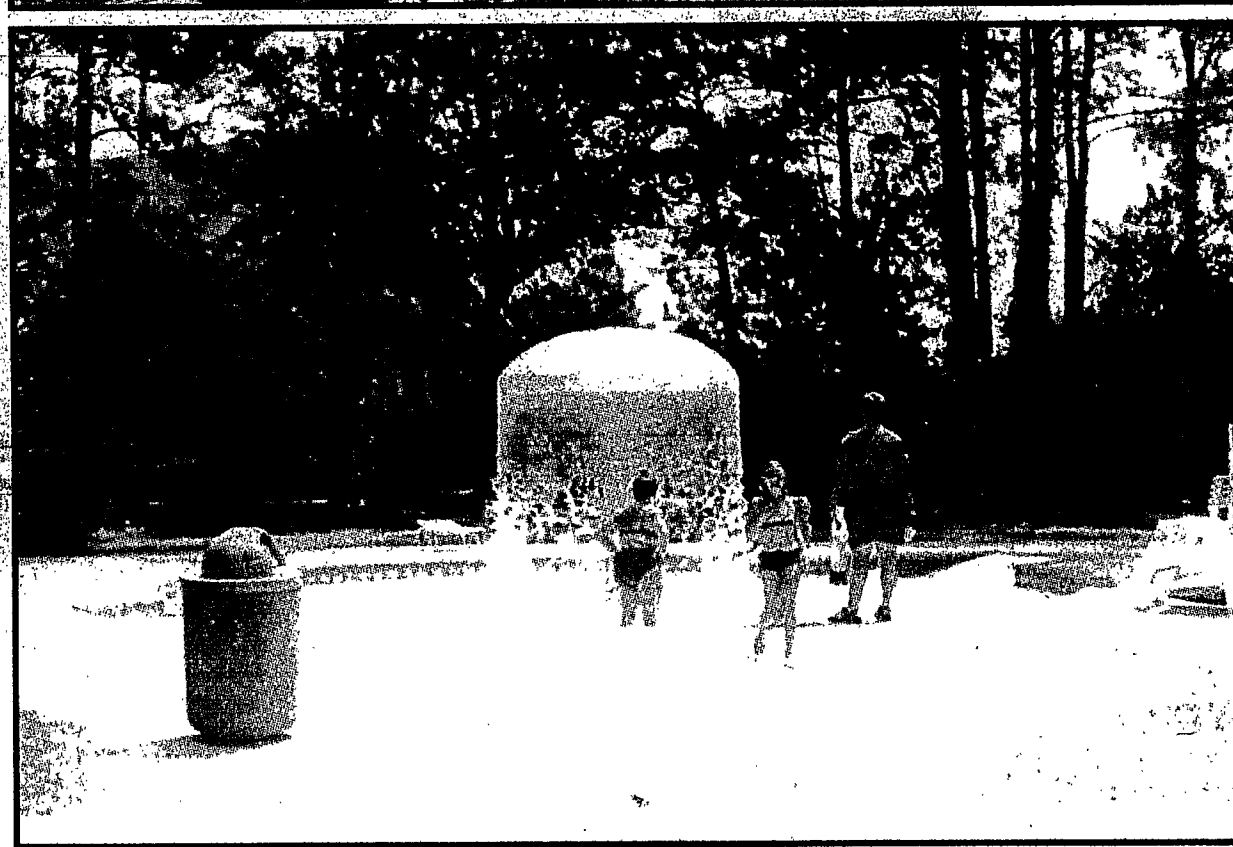
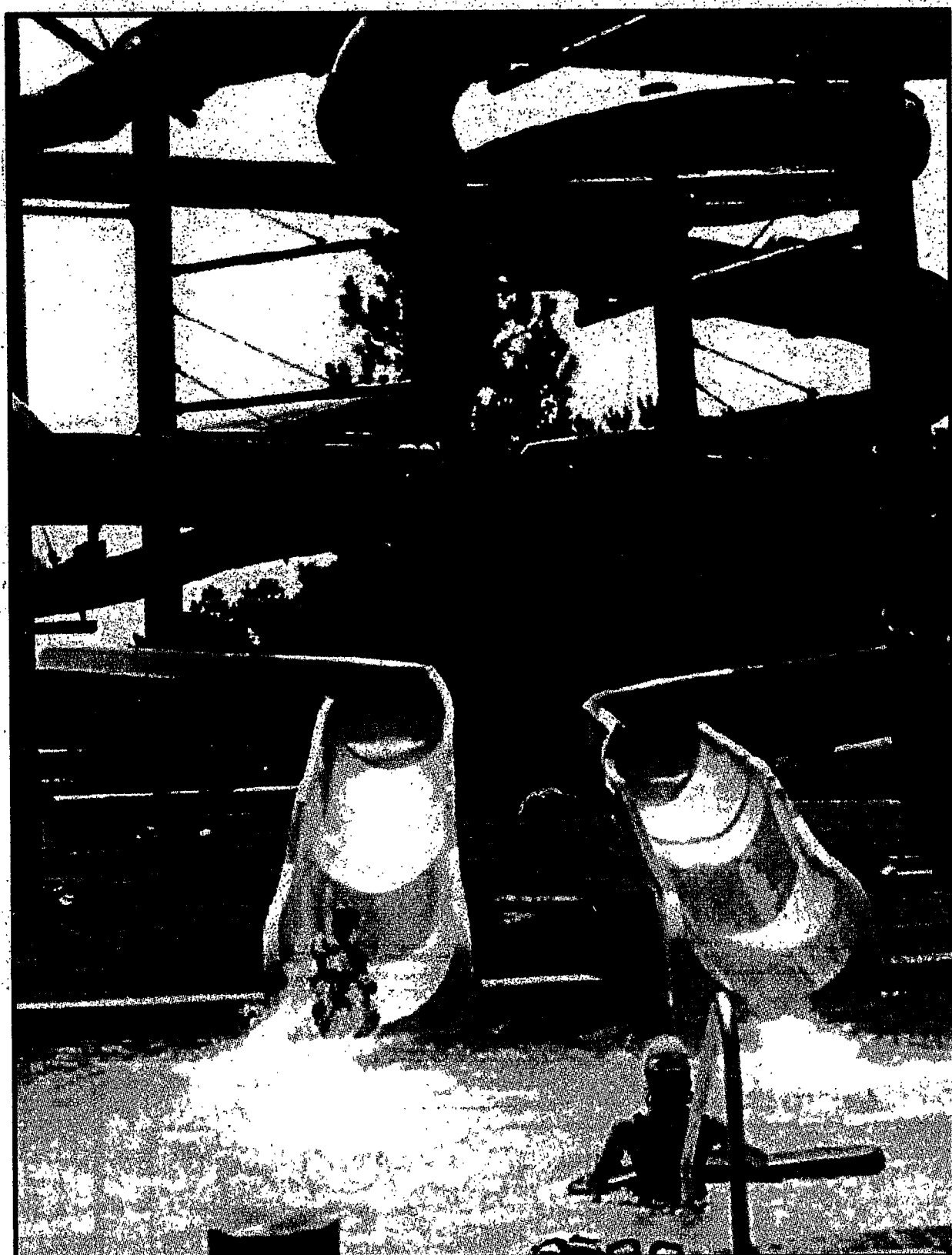
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With temperatures soaring into the high 90s and no relief in sight, Hancock County tries to:

Beat the Heat



Hancock Countians fled to the water at Buccaneer State Park's water slide, wave pool and wading pools last week to enjoy the sun and escape its heat. (Echo staff photos by Geoff Belcher)

Heatwave wreaking havoc across south, midwest

Heat-related deaths are continuing to rise across the country, and authorities are encouraging people to watch out for anyone who might be reluctant to use air conditioning.

There have been at least 44 heat-related deaths since July 19: 13 in Missouri, 16 in Illinois, 10 in Ohio, two in North Carolina and one each in Georgia, Pennsylvania and Maryland. In addition to

Pennsylvania's one death in this heat wave, Philadelphia had 60 heat-related deaths earlier in the summer.

Scattered rain helped cool some parts of the South Midwest, including Bay St. Louis and other parts of Hancock County.

Highs in the 90s are forecasted for the area for the entire week.

In Cincinnati, where 10

deaths have been attributed to the heat, the temperature reached 86, ending a streak of eight consecutive days of 90-plus temperatures.

There was little relief on the East Coast, where temperatures rose into the 90s again.

It was 92 in New York City on Tuesday, the fifth straight day over 90, and highs around 90 are forecast through the weekend.

That made Tuesday the 12th day of readings in the 90s in New York state this year, that's typically the number of 90-plus readings for the entire summer.

The heat index, a measure of how hot the humidity and temperature together make it feel, was expected to be above 100 for many regions this week.

In Des Moines, Iowa, workers at an air-conditioned shelter

were keeping a close eye on the forecast to determine whether to keep the shelter open over the weekend.

"When we get some advice from emergency management about the heat index, then we'll institute the plan," Pat Breckenridge, a disease prevention specialist with the Polk County Health Department, said Tuesday.

Utility companies braced for

continued heavy demand to run air conditioners.

Some, including the Tennessee Valley Authority, warned some industrial customers their power could be turned off.

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The stage is set for late summer entertainment at Casino Magic

Concerts, sporting events coming to Hancock County

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Bobby Allison will perform each Tuesday through Friday in August at Casino Magic from noon until 4 p.m.

On Saturdays and Sundays, Primetime will play from noon until 4 p.m., with rock & roll oldies group Pure Gold performing classic hits Tuesday through Saturday from 8 p.m. until 10:30 p.m.

Admission is free for all three acts, as is registration for open-mike talent competition each Friday and Saturday at midnight.

Coming up in August, Casino Magic will host national acts such as Prince protégé Morris Day & the Time and American Pie singer-song-

writer Don McLean.

All tickets may be purchased through Ticketmaster or the Casino Magic Box Office by calling 1-800-5-Magic-5, extension 4535. All entertainment is subject to change. Concerts are held in the Magic Entertainment Complex, and you must be 21 or older to attend.

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Casino Magic Bay St. Louis Transportation Department was recently named the best transportation providers on the Gulf Coast at the Mississippi Gulf Coast Coliseum's Hospitality. Nites, held in conjunction with the Coliseum Summer Fair and Music Festival.

Each year, Olympics are held for the casino industry with categories such as beverage, housekeeping, dealing and transportation.

Events at this year's Olympics included the Trike Race, Pack 'N Go and Match Box Car Parking.

Casino Magic's three transportation teams -- including team members Jeff Rose, Stephanie Spiers, Christie Milligan, John Anthony, Cliff Glickerson, Michelle Carbon, Jennifer Polk, Matt Strauser, Kelly Fleetwood, Alison Pigg, Tequilla Hall and Shelly Anderson.

Casino Magic also offers top-flight dining at The Amazing Randolph's, which is open from 5 p.m. until 10 p.m. Sunday through Thursday, and 5-11 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays.



Acclaimed 60s rock group Paul Revere and the Raiders performed its national touring stage show at Casino Magic Bay St. Louis Saturday.

Young people benefit from after-school involvement

By Anna Minor

MSU Ag Communications
Little league games, dance recitals and band practices turn many parents into chauffeurs, but their children can gain more from these extra activities than just something to keep them busy.

"Students who are involved in extracurricular activities tend to do better in school and the other areas of their lives," said Dr. Ann Jarratt, 4-H youth development specialist with the Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service.

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Young people involved in extracurricular activities tend to have a more positive self-concept than those who are not involved. This positive self-concept carries over into all areas of their lives.

"Young people with a positive self-concept tend to be more involved in clubs and activities because they try new experiences more freely and believe they will be successful," Jarratt said.

"They also are better able to fit in with groups because they are more open to liking other people since they like themselves."

The benefits of extracurricular participation are numerous. Involved students develop strong social and communication skills because they deal with different people in different settings. They also learn to work in groups and to cooperate with other people.

"A main benefit of after-school involvement is the development of responsibility," Jarratt said. "Young people learn they are expected to fulfill their obligations to the club or team." Parents play an important role in encouraging extracurricular involvement, especially in a child's younger years.

"Parents should encourage their children to explore their interests at a young age to provide more opportunities to develop these interests," Jarratt said. "If you start early with good habits, it pays off in the long run."

Young children need some restrictions on their involvement to prevent them from jumping from one activity to the next. Parents should help their children choose one or two activities that really interest them and encourage them to stick with them.

"If a child does not like an activity, the parents should encourage their child to stick with the activity unless a good reason exists to end it," Jarratt said. "By letting the child quit, parents are condoning a quitter mentality that becomes a pattern of starting and never finishing things."

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Parents should allow their children to choose their own activities as long as the proposed activity is wholesome, positive and affordable. If the child decides to do several things, parents should encourage the various interests.

"Some people are more focused and want to do one thing very well," Jarratt said. "But others would rather be involved in several things at a moderate level. Each way is fine as long as the young people are enjoying what they are doing."

After their children become involved in extracurricular activities, parents should continue their encouragement and support.

"If the child is involved in an activity where spectators are allowed, parents should make sure they attend all events and support and encourage their child," Jarratt said. "Young people with parental support tend to be more involved."

Sometimes students can become involved in too many activities, but determining what is too much may be difficult.

"No magic number exists for how many activities are the appropriate amount," Jarratt said. "If schoolwork, family time and a student's personal health begin to suffer, that student is overdoing it somewhere and needs to cut back."

But if the students are enjoying what they are doing and keeping up with their academic and home responsibilities, parents should continue to encourage their children to get the most out of their extracurricular experiences.

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Advice for adult learners to conquer challenges of school

Returning to college as an adult, particularly as a parent with young children at home and underfoot, can present some rather interesting challenges. Patience, time management and concentration are needed if you plan to make any headway.

"With four children it is almost impossible to get any quality study time," says Mike Walker, manager of corporate and external affairs for Bell-South in Tupelo, who is pursuing a master's degree in business administration.

"When my children are knocking on the door wanting me to play with them, I just can't tell them to leave daddy alone. They wouldn't understand."

Studying with constant disruptions can be difficult, but when children are involved, it can be even tougher, says Karen Nichols, career planning and research specialist at the University of Mississippi Career Center. During a special adult learner orientation session, the center teams up with Student Development Center to address many problems the university's nontraditional population may face.

One aid that adult learners are provided during the orientation is a handbook which, among other things, provides tips for studying when kids are present. Nicholas notes that it is possible to combine effective study time and quality time with children. "Try and turn studying into a game and have children join in," she says. Other tips from the handbook include:

• **Young Einsteins.** Studying chemistry with a three-year-old is not as preposterous as it sounds. The secret is to choose the kind of studying in which the child can participate. For instance, use this time to recite. Make funny faces as you say the properties of transition elements in the periodic table. Use a dramatic voice as you repeat Faraday's laws.

• **Captive audience.** Use kids as an audience for a speech or for practicing any mnemonic device. If you have invented rhymes, poems or song to help you remember formulas or dates, children can learn them right along with you.

• **Trick or treat.** Because the attention spans of young children can range from a few

seconds to about 30 minutes, do not plan to read new and complex material in their presence. Most people require about 20 uninterrupted minutes to acclimate their brains to complicated reading assignments.

Chances are a toddler will interrupt long before then. Instead, choose short review tasks, like going over class notes. Set up a desk for the child like yours, and even offer rewards for completing "assignments."

• **Teaching through example.** Tell children how important studying is to you and how you appreciate their cooperation. Reward them with attention and praise when they are quiet. When kids are included in the process, they are less likely to resent school work as something that takes you away from them. Rather, it becomes something you do together.

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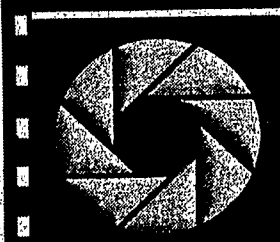


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TOPS WAVELAND 307

TOPS Chapter MS 307 Waveland met Wednesday, July 26 at the Waveland Public Library with 16 members present. Rhonda was the week's best loser with 34 pounds. Paula was the top KOPS. Naomi on the incentive award. Club members decided on the apple contest to run until Oct. 1. Sharon presented the program.

TOPS web address is <http://www.tops.org>. Log on for loads of information. The weight loss chapter promotes enthusiasm, recognition, understanding and encourages sensible eating habits. Anyone interested is welcome to join.

The chapter meets every Wednesday at the Waveland Public Library. Weigh-ins are from 4:45-5:30 p.m. with the meeting following.

Anyone interested in losing weight the sensible way and/or maintaining weight loss is welcome to visit the chapter. Call Paula at 467-0420 for information.

Gulf Coast Newcomers Club

The Gulf Coast Newcomers Club will meet Tuesday, Aug. 10 at the Holiday Inn Beachfront in Gulfport at 11 a.m. with lunch following at noon.

Any woman who has moved to the Coast in the past three years is invited to join.

Call Grace Lebo, 831-9546 or Brigitte Ballaron at 255-0909 or Gloria Reed at 255-9974 for information.

VFW and Ladies Auxiliary Post 5931

A council meeting was held for all VFW Post and Auxiliaries in Vicksburg July 17-18.

Members attending from VFW and Ladies Auxiliary 5931 were Commander Jim Morgan, President Shiela Ladner, Audrey Morgan and Fred Scarborough.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly

TOPS WAVELAND 323

TOPS MS 233 Waveland met Tuesday, July 27 at the Waveland Public Library.

June was the week's best loser with 1 pound. Ruth was the best KOPS loser. The incentive award was won by Ruth, and the gift was won by Kthy.

Aug. 10 will be awards night, followed by an auction. TOPS MS 233 meets every Tuesday at the Waveland Public Library. Weigh-ins are from 5-5:45 p.m. with the meeting immediately following.

Anyone interested in losing weight the sensible way and maintaining that weight loss is welcome to visit the TOPS chapter. Interested persons are invited to call Pat at 467-6285.

Hancock North Central Elementary open house

The faculty and staff at Hancock North Central Elementary and East Hancock Elementary are sponsoring an open house Thursday, Aug. 5, 3-6 p.m. at Hancock North Central Elementary.

Parents and students are invited to visit the school, 6122 Cuevas Town Road to meet the teachers, bring school supplies and learn more about upcoming activities.

Students and parents residing within the East Hancock Elementary boundaries are also invited since students of the new elementary will attend HNCE until construction is completed at East Hancock.

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The recently installed officers of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Diamondhead VFW Post 2880 include, from left, Bernice Nick, historian; Jo Del Beckham, conductress; Dahlia Cangelosi, chaplain; Margaret Joly, trustee; Carol Bustetter, president; Betty Peters, senior vice president; Celine Nederveld, trustee; Audrey Cantrell, treasurer; and Mary Ellen Schaefer, secretary.

Ole Miss study abroad program opens up new possibilities

When mapping-out your college future, why not think globally?

For many high school graduates soon to be away from home for the first time, the cultural shock and academic challenges of life at a major American college or university can be daunting enough, without the added adjustment of studying abroad.

Even among upper classmen, the opportunity to spend a semester or year of college in another country often is lost to mistaken and outdated notions about costs, language barriers and other restrictions.

But according to Susan Oliphant, coordinator of the University of Mississippi's Study Abroad Program, a brave new world of educational possibilities awaits students who resist the urge to procrastinate and plan ahead for what the overwhelming majority of students who study abroad describe as the highlight of their college days.

"When you go abroad to study, you're learning constantly," said Oliphant. "But what you're really learning about is yourself. Nothing allows you to see Mississippi and your hometown like seeing them through the eyes of another country. You come back a wiser person."

Through membership in the International Student Exchange Program, university-approved group study programs and direct exchange programs with select foreign universities, the Study Abroad Program can place Ole Miss students at more than 100 universities in 36 countries.

Popular study abroad countries include Germany, France, Holland, Spain and the United Kingdom, Belize, Costa Rica and Mexico, with new destinations being added annually to the long list of possibilities.

Despite the belief among some college students and their parents that study abroad programs are mainly for language majors, Oliphant said the Ole Miss Study Abroad Program is open to almost all students, regardless of their academic fields of interest, language skills or financial situations.

"Any Ole Miss student in good academic standing can apply," she said, noting that, along with the expected liberal arts students, many business and education majors participate in the program and possibilities abound for a wide variety of engineering, graduate and nontraditional students as well.

"Usually, students try to go abroad during their sophomore or junior years," said Oliphant, stressing the importance of advanced planning. "It's difficult to go as a freshman and can be very difficult to go as a senior because, by that time, students may be boxed in by graduation requirements."

In many cases, such as in the European studies program offered in the Netherlands, classes are offered in English to accommodate those unable to speak the native language. And practically anyone's academic schedule can be accommodated, as a given course of study can be tailored to last as little as two weeks or as much as a full year.

But perhaps the best news regarding study abroad is the cost. At Ole Miss, for example, a student often can study abroad for basically the same cost as attending its Oxford campus.

"This allows students to pay University of Mississippi tuition and activity fees while studying abroad," said Oliphant. "Even most university financial aid will apply to the exchange."

For information on the University of Mississippi's Study Abroad Program, contact Susan Oliphant at (662) 232-1508.

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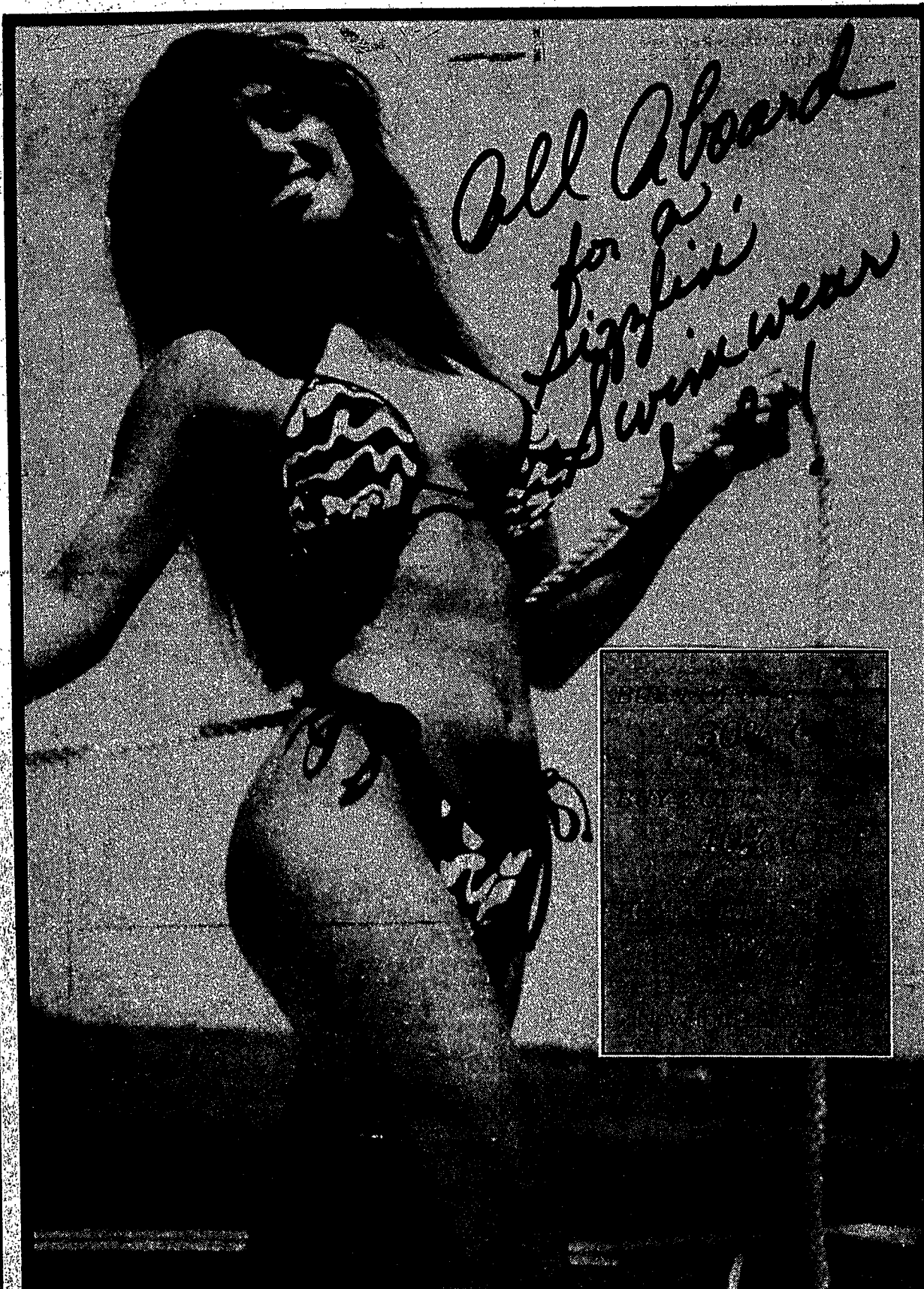
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Vet students learn from rare research experience

By Molly Kinnan
MSU Ag Communications
 A new research program developed by Mississippi State University's College of Veterinary Medicine is creating a rare experience for two veterinary students this summer.

Dr. Jerald Ainsworth, director of the Veterinary Medical Research Program at MSU, helps link students with faculty to mentor their research experience. Students have the freedom to choose their own area of research interest.

"With the assistance of a faculty member, students write a proposal of their plan of work and upon completion of their summer research experience, the students give a seminar to faculty, graduate students and veterinary students," Ainsworth said.

"The seminar is useful public exposure in a student's veterinary career because it offers them a chance to practice speaking in front of their peers."

Ainsworth said through their research, students can gain the experience and competitiveness they will need for their future career.

"This program gives students the opportunity to expand their knowledge through research since most veterinarians do not spend much time in a laboratory. The program also teaches students how to generate and assimilate data, allowing students to gain a real appreciation for research," Ainsworth said.

Caroline Betheze, a sophomore from Chattanooga, Tenn., is just one of the CVM students participating in the research program. She is working with Dr. Andrew Mackin, assistant professor of veterinary medicine, on a project that involves tube feeding dogs.

By using old and new techniques, they are testing the dog's nutritional needs and immune status. The results of their study will benefit dogs needing critical care.

"Our project applies to clinical work," Betheze said. "I was interested in the clinical aspect of the research because I knew I would have more contact with the animals and because I felt this type of research would produce results that could be applied immediately."

Betheze's responsibilities include daily tube feedings, developing new testing methods and performing laboratory tests related to the project.

Betheze said the research program has been a positive experience and has made her realize the importance of research in veterinary medicine.

"Through the program, I have learned much about veterinary medicine," Betheze said. "Without research, treatment of animals would be at a standstill. We need to learn new techniques and tests to give the best care to our pets."

Veterinary student Jennifer Simmons, a sophomore from Gulfport, is also involved in the research program.

She is working with Dr. Lora Ballweber, associate professor of veterinary medicine, on a project testing for parasites in Alaskan mammals.

"The two main parasites we

are testing for are Cryptosporidium and Giardia. If found in drinking water, these parasites can be harmful to humans. Through our research, we are hoping to reduce this type of contamination," Simmons said.

For Simmons, producing successful results has made her more aware of the relationship between veterinary medicine and human medicine.

The program also has expanded her knowledge of parasite detection and has provided her with a better understanding of the procedures involved.

Ainsworth said he takes pride in the success of the program and the students.

"The program was developed with the hopes that veterinary students would consider pursuing a career in veterinary research," Ainsworth said.

"The program will continue to be offered in the future with the hope that we can gain federal support for the program."

Next summer, MSU's College of Veterinary Medicine plans to have three to five positions available for student research.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth P. McCormick Sr. of Long Beach announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Susan C. McCormick, to Marty D. Poolson, son of Larry T. Poolson Sr. of Bay St. Louis and Ms. Joe Ann Garcia of Waveland.

The bride-elect is a 1991 graduate of Hinds Community College in Raymond where she earned an associates degree. She is a computer specialist at Naval Construction Battalion Center in Gulfport.

The prospective groom is a 1997 graduate of Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College West Harrison Center in Long Beach where he received a culinary arts degree with honors.

The marriage will take place Saturday, August 7, 1999 at 2 p.m. in First Baptist Church in Long Beach.

Faye-Francis

Catherine Faye of Waveland and Dale Faye of Bay St. Louis announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Vicki Ann Faye, to Jason D. Francis, son of Linda Sones Gill of Bayou LaCroix and David Francis of Campbell, Calif.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Bay High School and attended Jefferson Davis Community College. She is employed with Jitney Jungle.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Hancock High School and attended the University of Southern Mississippi. He is employed with Multivision Cable.

The wedding will take place August 21, 1999 at 2 p.m. in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Waveland.

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**DUNCAN CONNIE
MCLAIN**

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McLain of Waveland and Davenport, N.Y. announce the birth of a son, Duncan Conner, July 1, 1999 at 11:57 p.m. at Bassett.

He weighed 7 pounds, 7 ounces.

Mrs. McLain is the former Connie Hayward.

Maternal grandparents are John R. Hayward of Waveland and the late Margaret P. Hayward.

Paternal grandparents are Don and Carol McLain of Davenport, N.Y.

Duncan is welcomed by sisters Rachel and Miranda.

ETHAN SHAW

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Shaw of Nacaise Crossing announce the birth of their first child, Ethan, June 25, 1999 at 8:11 a.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

He weighed 8 pounds.

Mrs. Shaw is the former Andrea Ladner.

Maternal grandparents are Versie and Aubrey Page and the late Roy F. Ladner.

Paternal grandparents are Greg and Suzette Shaw.

Great-grandparents include Ethel Ladner, Beverly Page, Faye Shaw and Dorothy Ladner.

**TRAVIS MICHAEL
VERNACI**

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Vernaci Jr. of Pearlinton announce the birth of their second child, Travis Michael, June 16, 1999 at 7:45 a.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

He weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

Mrs. Vernaci is the former Elizabeth Doming.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl P. Doming of LaPlace, La.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Vernaci Sr. of Metairie, La.

Great-grandmother is Mrs. Joseph P. Vernaci.

Travis is welcomed by his brother, Trey.

**MONTANA ALIXIS
FERNANDEZ**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fernandez of Waveland announce the birth of their first child, Montana Alexis, July 20, 1999 at 7:10 p.m. at Northshore Regional Medical Center in Slidell.

She weighed 6 pounds, 13 ounces.

Mrs. Fernandez is the former Laura Ellis.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Ellis Sr. of Bay St. Louis.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fernandez of Bay St. Louis.

Maternal great-grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Ellis and the late Ms. Ora Bell Armstrong.

Paternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Violet Fernandez of Metairie and the late Mr. Louis Fernandez Sr. and Mrs. Lois Glass of Waveland and the late Pat Glass.

**TERRA ANN
WARREN**

Tonja Meyers and Terry L. Warren Jr. of Bay St. Louis announce the birth of their first child, Terra Ann, July 11, 1999 at 12:56 a.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

She weighed 5 pounds, 9 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Juanita and Gary Gipson of Kiln and Charles and Shirley Meyers of Eunice, La.

Paternal grandparents are Beverly Renner and Terry L. Warren Sr. of Bay St. Louis.

**JAYDEN MATTHEW
HATCHER**

Haley Renee Hatcher of Bay St. Louis announces the birth of her first child, Jayden Matthew, July 20, 1999 at 5:57 p.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

He weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces.

Grandparents are Matthew J. and Sami H. Essam of Bay St. Louis.

Great-grandparents include the late Jeremy W. Hatcher, Roger and Virginia Hanes of Pineville, La. and Richard and Linda Essam of French Settlement, La.

Great-great-grandparents are Esther Hatcher of Prairieville, La., Al and Ella Roman-tino of Water Valley, Miss., and Francis Essam and Patricia Cripe of Beatrice, Neb.

**RICHARD MICHAEL
SCHAEFER**

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schaefer of Kiln announce the birth of a son, Richard Michael, July 22, 1999 at 3:44 p.m. at 5:18 p.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

He weighed 8 pounds.

Mrs. Schaefer is the former Miss Vinson.

Maternal grandparents are Capt. and Mrs. Vinson of Gretna, La.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Michael S. Smith of Lumberton and Mr. Richard Schaefer of Diamondhead.

Great-grandparents include Mrs. Crystal Schaefer and Laton John Weinberg.

Richard is welcomed by his brother, Logan.

**ABEGAIL ALEXIS
COLSON**

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Colson of Bay St. Louis announce the birth of their second child, Abegail Alexis, July 22, 1999 at 9:49 a.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

She weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

Mrs. Colson is the former Edna Soileau.

Maternal grandparents are Terry and Judy Monceaux of Crowley, La.

Paternal grandparents are Curtis and Mary Colson of Bay St. Louis.

Great-grandparents include May Colson of Diamondhead and Lozina Soileau of Unice, La. Abegail Alexis is welcomed by her sister, Judy Ann.

**MICHAEL DELEON
MARIE**

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Marie III of Kiln announce the birth of their second child, Michael DeLeon, July 22, 1999 at 10:45 a.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

He weighed 8 pounds.

Mrs. Marie is the former Catina Dunaway.

Maternal grandparents are Roger and Vicky Bingham of Pass Christian and James and Emma Dunaway of Picayune.

Paternal grandparents are Daniel and Berlyn Marie Jr. of Pass Christian.

Great-grandparents include Thelma Marie and Revenell Bingham, Holmer and Elmo Dunaway and Boh Watson.

Michael is welcomed by his brother, Daniel IV.

**TIFFANI JOY ELAINE
JERNIGAN**

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Jernigan of Gulfport announce the birth of their second child, Tiffani Joy Elaine, July 19, 1999 at 10:49 a.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

She weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

Mrs. Jernigan is the former Kady Beaulieu.

Maternal grandparents are Cliff and Carlene Gunter of Gulfport.

Paternal grandparents are Marcia Geotes of Gulport and Brian Jernigan of Long Beach.

Great-grandparents include Billie Beasley of Gulfport, Dorothy Johnson of Hattiesburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Byrne of Diamondhead.

Tiffani is welcomed by her brother, Conner.

**ALEXIS KAYLEE
JOHNSON**

Paula Johnson and Justin Delle of Bay St. Louis announce the birth of a daughter, Alexis Kaylee, July 19, 1999 at 2:42 a.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

She weighed 4 pounds, 13 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mary and Walter Slaughter of Vero Beach, Fla.

Paternal grandparents are Stanley Delle and Karen Dulac.

Great-grandparents include Ilene Delle and Jack Delle.

S.O.S. After School help

Save Our Children announces registration for its after-school homework assistance and tutoring program is now underway.

The program operates Monday through Thursday from 2 to 5 p.m., during the school year.

The registration fee is \$10 a child for the entire school year.

Mable Gregg and the late James Gregg. Alexis is welcomed by brothers Mason and Dillon.

**SETH LYLER
LADNER**

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Craig Ladner of Anslay announce the birth of their first child, Seth Lyler, July 18, 1999 at 5:35 p.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

He weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces.

Mrs. Ladner is the former Tammy Raphael.

Maternal grandparents are Charlotte and Roy Herron of New Orleans.

Paternal grandparents are Mickey and Bob Fricke of Bay St. Louis and Terrell and Mary Ann Ladner of Slidell.

**RICHARD NICHOLAS
BALDOS**

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald N. Baldos of Biloxi announce the birth of their second child, Richard Nicholas, July 20, 1999 at 11:15 a.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

He weighed 8 pounds, 5 ounces.

Mrs. Baldos is the former Martha Ann Coe.

Maternal grandparent is the late Arvil Coe.

Paternal grandparents are Richard Larry and Alexandria Caroline Jones of Gulfport.

Great-grandmother is Martha Divinia of Vicksburg.

Nicholas is welcomed by his sister, Hannah.

The fee covers supplies and afternoon snacks.

Registration forms may be picked up and/or completed at the Save Our Children Center, 405 Nacaise Avenue, Bay St. Louis.

For additional information, call 466-0401.

**St. Vincent
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St. Clare Conference, Society of St. Vincent de Paul operates a thrift store, City Hall Annex, Coleman Avenue. It is open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10 until 3, and Saturday, 10 a.m. until noon. All proceeds benefit the needy regardless of race or religion. An information and referral service is available from 1:30 until 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday. For additional information, call 467-0703.

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Located on the corner of Booker and St. Frances streets, the center serves Hancock County citizens 60 plus years of age.

Under the Hancock County Human Resource Agency, the center provides classes in art, ceramics, framing, counted cross stitch, crochet, plastic canvas, shirt decorating, quilting and sewing.

There is also information and referral, counseling, entertainment and recreational field trips and health care services. Transportation is provided through a contract with Coast Transit Authority to the center or to the local doctor, grocery

store, bill paying, etc.

The center has a contract to provide frozen home delivered meals to 50 homebound seniors each week and serves 20 hot meals at the center four days a week under a statewide food contract with Valley Foods. In addition, a potluck lunch is served on Friday prepared by the staff. A morning snack is provided with donations from local clubs, churches and individuals.

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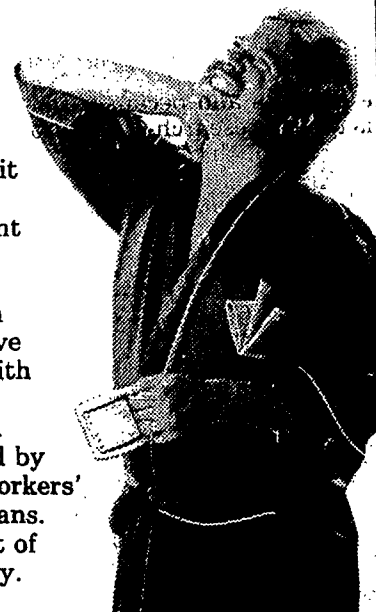
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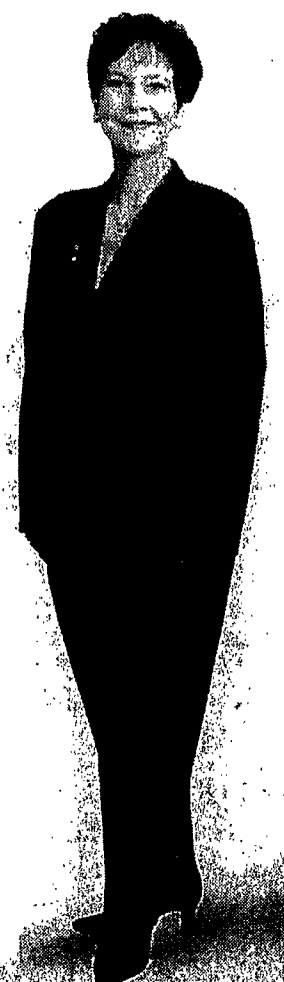
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Day classes are Monday through Thursday. Evening classes are Monday and Thursday.

To register or for information, call Donna Hutchings at 467-9240.

Alzheimer Support Group

The Bay St. Louis Alzheimer Support Group will meet at the Senior Citizens Center on the first Tuesday of the month at 2 p.m.

The group is affiliated with the Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association with over 200 chapters nationwide.

For details, call Dot at 255-7599.

ACOA and Al-Anon

ACOA and Al-Anon meet at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 5303 Diamondhead Circle, Diamondhead Thursday evenings at 8. For information call 255-9213.

Al-Anon/BSL

Al-Anon, Bay St. Louis chapter, meets Monday and Friday at 8 p.m. at 300 Third Street, Bay St. Louis.

Al-Anon is designed for families and friends who are affected by someone else's drinking. For information, call 466-5780.

American Cancer Society

Assistance to victims of cancer is available through Hancock and Harrison county chapters of the American Cancer Society.

Necessary items for patients, such as dressings, ostomy and sick-room supplies are available to those in need. Equipment which may be loaned to patients includes wheelchairs and hospital beds.

Assistance is available for transportation to qualifying hospitals.

Several rehabilitation programs are offered, including "Reach To Recovery", in which volunteers who have had mastectomies visit new breast cancer patients (with approval of physician) to assist in emotional, physical and psychological rehabilitation.

Battered Women

Free counseling is offered for Hancock County women suffering from emotional or physical abuse. Gwen Beck, outreach coordinator with Gulf Coast Women's Center, is available each Wednesday, 10 a.m.-noon at the Hancock County Youth Court building on Court Street.

All cases are confidential. Call 435-1968 collect for appointment.

The Gulf Coast Women's Center, a United Way agency, also offers an advocacy program for victims of sexual assault and domestic violence. A 24-hour crisis line is available by calling 1-800-800-1396.

Bay-Waveland Overeaters HOW Group

Bay-Waveland Overeaters HOW group meets every Tuesday, 7-8 p.m. at Hancock Medical Center's meeting room.

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There are no dues or fees. The group is self supporting through their own contributions.

For information, contact Ann at 467-6254.

Blood Pressure

Retired Senior Volunteer Program sponsors free blood pressure testing on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month from 9-11 a.m. at the American Legion Post

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GED classes

GED day classes at the Hancock County Vo-Tech Center and night classes at the Hancock High School Library are closed for the year. The GED classes will reopen in September.

Grieving Support Group

A Wholesome Grieving Support Group will meet every second Wednesday, of the month 3-5 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. at the Hancock Senior Care Office in Bay West Professional Center, 1011 Hwy. 90, across from the Waffle House. The meetings are free of charge.

For information, call Edmond Fahey Funeral Home at 467-9031 or Hancock Senior Care at 467-4675.

Hancock County Humane Society

The Hancock County Humane Society operates a flea market in Bay St. Louis at the intersection of Hwy. 90 and Drinkwater. Proceeds help needy animal owners with spay-neuter assistance, emergency pet food and and emergency medical help.

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Humane Society meetings are held quarterly on the third Sundays at 3 p.m. at Jolly Rogers Printing, Hwy. 90.

All are welcome. For information, call 467-7686 Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Hancock Co. NAACP

The Hancock County Branch NAACP meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at Valena C. Jones United Methodist Church (fellowship hall), Sycamore Street, Bay St. Louis.

Genevieve Gordon, president, 467-6040.

Homework Assistance Program

A Homework Assistance Program is being offered to Hancock County students through the Save Our Children Center at 405 Nacaise Street in Bay St. Louis, 3:30-5 p.m. Monday-Thursday.

For registration information, call the center at 466-0401.

Hope Haven

Hope Haven meetings are every third Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at 126 Court Street, Youth Court Building, in Bay St. Louis.

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Parkinson Support Group

The public is invited to all meetings of the Parkinson Support Group, which are held the second Sunday at 2 p.m. at Garden Park Community Hospital in Gulfport. For information, call 863-2929 or 467-0307.

Save Our Children

The Hancock County Task Force of Save Our Children will hold its monthly meeting at 6 p.m. every first Monday of the month at the center, 405 Nacaise Street, Bay St. Louis.

For details, call Geraldine Lang at 467-9586.

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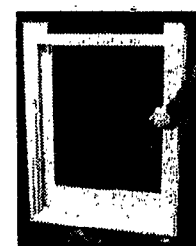
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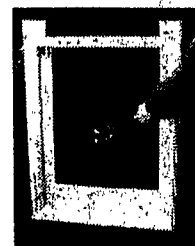
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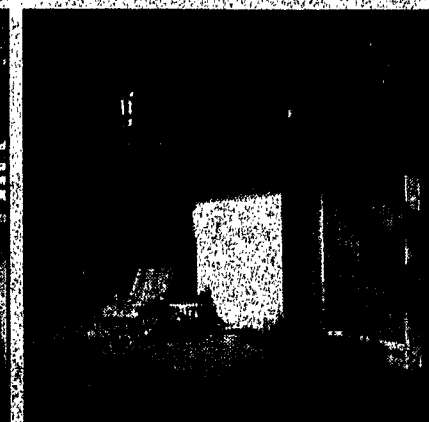
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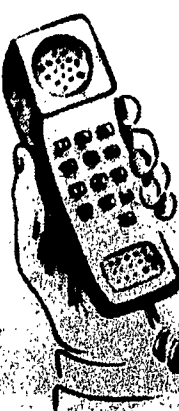
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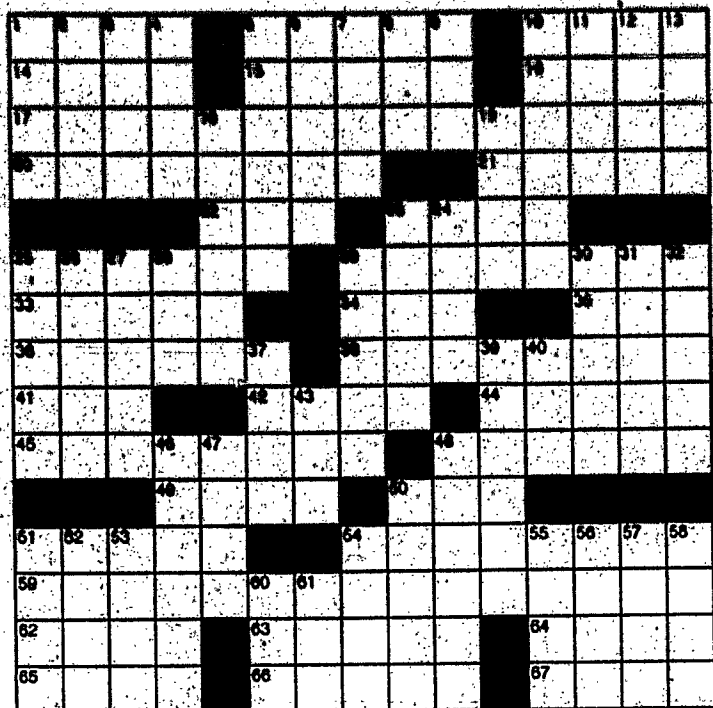
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CLUES ACROSS

1. Hits
5. Small European freshwater fishes
10. In a way, permutes
14. Lake ___, one of the Great
15. Fudge
16. Song
17. Cash cows, at times
20. Greek philosophers
21. House servants
22. Kind of person
23. Yarn
25. Fusillades
29. Algolagnic
33. Cognitive contents
34. Superannuated
35. Crystal
36. Arts
38. Had recourse
41. Self
42. Materials
44. Pinecone state
45. Provencal verses
48. Colas
49. Shrub genus
50. Afflict
51. Braid
54. Role players
59. Be cool to
62. Former copper coin of Pakistan
63. Belgian city
64. Wound
65. One of the six noble gasses
66. Life of ___, easy street
67. In a moment

CLUES DOWN

1. In a way, soaks
2. Hard liquor
3. Freeway
4. Way to run
5. Monsters
6. Smart
7. Mutts
8. Sun up in New York
9. Main
10. Rocks
11. Subject matter
12. Essence
13. Impertinence
18. Do-nothing
19. Finger millet
23. Specials
24. In a way, renders
25. Flanks
26. Locution
27. Twisted yarns
28. Holiday (informal)
29. Short-billed rails
30. New World monkeys
31. Ancient Celtic tribe
32. Surrenders
37. Without (French)
39. Breakfast fare
40. Blame
43. Blat
46. Tool for cutting holes
47. Scintilla
48. Enclosure for swine
50. Herbaceous plant
51. Language in Ghana
52. Protein molecule
53. Tonight's host
54. Paragon
55. Seizes
56. Mollusk genus
57. Outside
58. Came across
60. Mariner
61. Caliph

SOLUTIONS ACROSS

1. Raps
5. Daces
10. Maps
14. Erie
15. Elude
16. Aria
17. Take over targets
20. Skeptics
21. Amahs
22. Ilk
23. Saga
25. Salvos
29. Sadistic
33. Ideas
34. Old
35. Ice
36. Dances
38. Resorted
41. Ego
42. Abas
44. Maine
45. Sestinas
48. Pepsis

SOLUTIONS DOWN

1. Rets
2. Arak
3. Pike
4. Seep
5. Devils
6. Aleck
7. Curs
8. EDT
9. Sea
10. Magmas
11. Area
12. Pith
13. Sass
18. Outiose
19. Ragi
23. Sales
24. Adds
25. Sides
26. Adage
27. Lenos
28. Vac
29. Soras
30. Titis
31. Icem
32. Cedex
37. Sans
39. Omelet
40. Rap
43. Baa
46. Trepan

47. Iota
48. Pigsty
50. Anise
51. Akan
52. Gene
53. Leno
54. Idol
55. Nabs
56. Unio
57. Ecto
58. Seen
60. Tir
61. Ali

StarShip Cruise Line signs lease agreement with Port Commission

StarShip Cruise Line, Inc. has announced the signing of a lease agreement with the Biloxi Port Commission for the docking of StarShip, the Mississippi Gulf Coast's only dinner super yacht scheduled to begin service in late October.

The lease includes dockside construction of StarShip's corporate offices as well as ticketing and boarding facilities.

The company's operation will be located at 315 Beach Boulevard, one mile east of the Biloxi Small Craft Harbor. Construction of the dock and 3,100 square foot office facilities is set to begin in August.

StarShip, soon to be Mississippi Gulf Coast's newest, non-gaming entertainment venue, is to be registered in Biloxi. The 180-foot vessel, currently under construction, will accommodate up to 600 passengers and seat 350 for dining during a three-hour cruise.

"We believe cruising in a luxury yacht setting will appeal to a broad range of people, from tourists to family reunions to church groups and wedding parties," said George Sustental, president of StarShip Cruise Line, Inc.

"Early response has been very encouraging." Many groups and passengers have already been booked for the first weeks of operation.

"The Biloxi location allows easy accessibility and the super yacht will have excellent visibility along the coastline," said Sustental. "StarShip offers a unique way for people to dine in comfort while cruising along the Coast's scenic waterway."

StarShip, the first of a series of vessels planned by StarShip Cruise Line, Inc., represents a new generation of passenger-friendly dining yachts that meet all new Coast Guard K

class safety regulations and are American Disabilities Act friendly.

"With the arrival of StarShip, we plan to offer a luxurious cruising experience and something not currently offered in this market," said Sustental. "The cruise offers succulent dining choices and a magnificent view of the coastline that many people have never seen from this vantage point."

The cruises will take passengers along the coastline and/or circle Deer Island.

Area residents and tourists can look forward to having a new entertainment option that focuses on excellent culinary choices, fine spirits, live music, indulgent luxury and leisurely sightseeing.

Prices will range from \$15 for sightseeing to \$57.95 for dinner and will vary depending on the

type of cruise, time and day of the week.

For information on ticket sales and charters, call 228-374-7475 or toll free, 877-744-7999.

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SPORTS

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Ladner School of Basketball emphasizes education and family values through camp atmosphere, discipline, and motivation

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II

The Ladner basketball clan was at it again. It was that time of the summer for the traditional Ladner Gulf Coast School of Basketball held at the Brother Peter Memorial Gymnasium on the campus of St. Stanislaus High School in Bay St. Louis.

The school, now in its 12th year of existence, was held last week for 135 boys and girls daily at SSC's gym.

The camp has grown from just 19 boys and girls twelve years ago to a near capacity enrollment for the gym.

The Ladner cousins, Jay and Michael, decided two years ago to experiment with two camps during the summer.

The camps were held at different sites in the county. The new venture has taken place at Hancock High School the past two years in early June while the traditional camp is still held the last week in July at SSC.

The total for both camps during this summer was more than 220 boys and girls.

Both Ladners are co-founders and directors of the annual summer event and are both head coaches at their respective schools.

Jay Ladner is entering his ninth year as head coach of the St. Stanislaus Rock-a-chaws.

Jay prepped at Oak Grove High School in Hattiesburg and later played for then-coach M.K. Turk at the University of Southern Mississippi where he was a point guard for the 1987 National Invitational Tournament champion Golden Eagles.

After a brief stint in the private business world, Jay accepted the Rock-a-chaw head coaching job and has recorded a 154-107 overall record in his eight years at SSC. However, the last six years have been the most productive for Ladner and the Rocks as he has guided them to a 140-63 record during that time.

This past season, his team set a school record for wins in a season and advanced to the state playoffs.

More than fifteen of Ladner's former basketball players have signed to play basketball or another sport at the junior college or senior college level.

Jay Ladner commented on his School of Basketball philosophy, "We try to expose the children to the fundamentals of the game as well as give them a chance to attend a day camp that is close to home. The reason for that is because a lot of the kids do not have the opportunity to attend large university camps."

"We started really small with just 19 boys and girls at Bay High's gym twelve years ago. Now, it is the largest high school camp that we know of in Mississippi. Most of our campers return year after year which says something about the quality of our school of basketball. Plus, we are receiving new campers each year from many different sites across South Mississippi."

Dewey and Julia Lott and their son, Warren, show that the School of Basketball is growing beyond the confines of the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

The Lotts hail from Columbia, a town just south of Hattiesburg.

Dewey and Julia explain why they chose the Ladner School of Basketball for their son Warren who is entering the sixth grade this fall, "We have known Coach

Larry Ladner, Jay's father, for a long time. Our son, Warren, has a big heart for basketball. We felt that in order to elevate his game, Warren needed to be exposed to the game outside of Columbia. We thought that the guidance and teaching that the Ladner School of Basketball gives was the exposure that Warren needed."

"This camp boasts a lot of talented coaches to work with the young kids and help them develop their skills."

The other co-founder and director of the school of basketball is Michael Ladner.

Michael prepped at Hancock North Central High School and later played for Phillips College. At both schools, he played for his father Roland Ladner.

In his second year at Phillips College, the team placed third in the nation at the National Little College Athletic Association national tournament.

Ladner recalls that experience as one of the most memorable of his basketball career. He relishes the chance to elaborate on his time at the tournament with friends, other coaches, but especially with his players.

After his playing days were through, Michael began his coaching career at Bay High School on the junior high level. He worked his way up to being varsity boys head coach and spent a total of five years at Bay High.

After Bay High, Ladner moved to the University of Memphis Lady Tiger basketball program as an assistant coach. He spent six years with the Lady Tiger basketball program before taking the head boys job at his high school alma mater two years ago.

Michael Ladner commented on the growth of the School of Basketball, "We are very happy with the way it has grown from such a small group of kids at Bay High to what we have now at both sites. We accomplish what we set out to do."

"We wouldn't be able to accomplish what we do without the stability of our coaching staff for the school of basketball. The coaching staff that we have assembled are dedicated and determined to instill good habits in the campers."

"We want the campers to learn good habits, as well as have fun. We do it through discipline, motivation, and fundamentals. We emphasize God, family, education, and then basketball at our school of basketball."

The coaching staff that the Ladners have assembled comes from some of the most successful programs in South Mississippi.

Mike Spell, Monty Noblitt, head coach at Bay High School, Steve Austin of Hancock High School, Bryan Caldwell, head coach of Gulfport High School, and Tori Holloway and Francisco "Boo" Hardy, both Gulfport High School assistants, have joined the camp staff.

In addition to having the outstanding education in fundamentals and technique, the Ladners have also brought in guest speakers to the school of basketball to aid in motivating the young players.

The guest speakers for the camp are no strangers to the game of basketball in Hancock County. In fact, some might even say that they helped invent the game.

The guest speakers are former coaches J. Larry Ladner

and Roland Ladner.

Another guest speaker, former Mississippi State University head coach Richard Williams, was scheduled to attend. However, due to an unforeseen circumstance, Coach Williams was not able to attend the camp.

J. Larry Ladner is the father of Jay Ladner and a member of the Mississippi Association of Coaches Hall of Fame. Coach Ladner is also a member of the Pearl River Community College Hall of Fame and the Louisiana College Hall of Fame.

He prepped Kiln High School and was the first Hancock County native named to the prestigious All-State team his senior year.

Larry Ladner coached at Piquette Memorial High School from 1960-71. Then, he moved to the University of Southern Mississippi where he was a Basketball Specialist in the Department of Athletic Administration and Coaching.

Larry Ladner talked about the School of Basketball, "They have the most outstanding day camp in the country. Their preparation, organization, and instruction is second to none. Jay and Michael and their staff do an excellent job of working with the young players attitudinally, motivationally, as well as, fundamental and technique development."

The other guest speaker for the School of Basketball is Roland Ladner, the father of Michael Ladner.

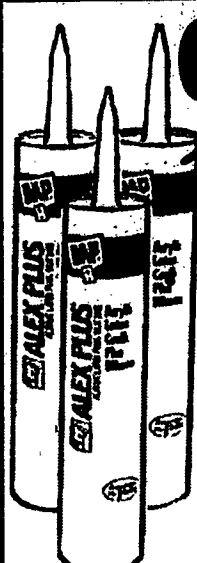
Roland began his coaching in 1950 at Sellers High School. His career spanned over four decades until his retirement in 1993.

Roland coached at Sellers High School, Harrison Central High School, Hancock North Central High School, Pearl River Central High School, and Phillips College.

Roland is Mississippi's all-

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Stanbury 238, Charley Cra-
son 230

July 30
Summer Tuesday Nite
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Melissa Price 299 - 651;
Duane Treder 246, 211 - 646;
Bill Taylor 237, 214 - 650; Clay
Lodkins 234, 221 - 638; Wilson
Niolet 231, 211 - 633; Gary
Bourn 227, 207; Mack
McMackin 221, 202; Ron Storey
211, 204; Rob Niolet 247, An-
drew Miller 243, Ron Baldos
236, Don Connell 234, Brian
Smith 222, Ricky Heater 221,
Michael Fouasson 216, Steve
Miller 213, Gary Riddle 212, Ar-
thur Hicks 211, Al Pena 211,
Mac Coward 209, Walter Char-
mie 203

July 31
Wednesday ABC Trio

Mike Lewis 279, 264, 201 -
739; Duane Treder 279, 247,
216 - 741; Clay Lodkins 269, 214
- 686; Brian Barker 246, 233, 205
- 686; Larry Oles 237, 205 - 614;
Arthur Hicks 233, 208 - 615;
Mark Forstrom 231, 200 - 608;
James Smith 247 - 627; Melissa
Price 223, 200; Danny Hunt 211,
203; Perry Davis 231, Bill Bal-
tas 227, Charlie Pique 213,
Cory English 211, Deb Holoway
205, Tom Smith 205

July 23
Summer Mixed Nuts
Arthur Hicks 224, Greg Con-
diff 200

July 23
TGIF
Norm Postler 236, 228 - 654;
Al Case 214, 213 - 610; Jon Hig-
gins 211, 203 - 604; Clay Led-
kins 244 - 630; Joe Musacchia
216, Tony Vaz 212; Walter
Cheranie 212

Lakeshore football and cheerleader registration

The Lakeshore Youth Athle-
tic Club will have football and
cheerleader registration Aug.
1-13 at the Gulfview Element-
ary School in Lakeshore, 3-7
p.m.
Registration is open to boys

ages 7-12 and girls ages 6-12.
A copy of the child's birth cer-
tificate and proof of insurance is
required.
For information, call Richard
at 586-0697 or Sandra at
467-9921.

Large coastal shark season closed

The Mississippi Commission
on Marine Resources gave au-
thority to the executive director
of the Department of Marine
Resources to close the commer-
cial fishing season for large
coastal sharks in Mississippi
waters.

The closure will be effective
during the period that the fed-
eral waters adjacent to Missis-
sippi are closed to the commer-
cial harvest of large coastal
sharks. Federal waters adja-
cent to Mississippi closed at
11:30 p.m. July 28, 1999.

The commercial fishing sea-
son for large coastal sharks in
Mississippi's marine territorial
waters will close at 6 a.m. Au-
gust 4, 1999 and remain closed
until Dec. 31, 1999. The season
will reopen Jan. 1, 2000.

Large coastal sharks affected
by closure; sandbar, blacktip,
dusky, spinner, silky, bull, ti-
ger, lemon, nurse, scalloped
hammerhead, great hammer-
head and smooth hammerhead.

For information, contact the
Department of Marine Resour-
ces at 228-374-5000.

Bay Jr. High and J. V. Football

Bay Junior High School foot-
ball (grades 7 and 8) equipment
will be issued Friday, Aug. 6, 8
a.m.-5 p.m. at the Field House.

Practice will begin Monday,
Aug. 9, 3-6 p.m.

For information, contact
Coach Shaw at 466-4912.

All-star weekend on the Gulf Coast

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Oct. 25 when the high-flying At-
lanta Hawks take on the Boston
Celtics for an NBA pre-season
game showcasing new talent.

The eventful four-day
weekend, beginning Friday,
Oct. 22, will include concerts,
fan jams festivities, a celebrity
basketball game, a celebrity
golf tournament and a commu-
nity outreach program and will
culminate with "the big game"
Monday at 7:30 p.m.

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August 22	Gautier	6:00 p.m.	Home
August 27	Bay High*	6:00 p.m.	Home
August 29	Long Beach*	6:00 p.m.	Away
August 31	Blair*	6:00 p.m.	Home
September 2	Open		
September 7	Pace Christian*	6:00 p.m.	Away
September 14	Hancock*	6:00 p.m.	Away
September 16	Gulfport*	6:00 p.m.	Home
September 21	Bay High*	6:00 p.m.	Away
September 23	Long Beach*	6:00 p.m.	Home
September 28	Blair*	6:00 p.m.	Away
September 30	Open		
October 5	Pace Christian*	6:00 p.m.	Home
October 7	Hancock*	6:00 p.m.	Home
October 12	Gulfport*	6:00 p.m.	Away
October 15	Vancleave	6:00 p.m.	Home
October 17	Gautier	6:00 p.m.	Away

All game times: J.V. starts at 6 followed by the Varsity
*District games
Playoffs start on Saturday, October 9
Second round on Tuesday, October 12
Final Four & Finals on Saturday, October 16

Hunters should note northeast wildlife area rules

Anyone planning to hunt
deer on wildlife areas in north-
eastern Mississippi should
check the regulations for that
area for any changes from pre-
vious years, according to the
Department of Wildlife, Fish-
eries and Parks.

On the Black Prairie Wildlife
Management Area in Lowndes
County, deer hunting for bucks
and does is by special permit
only. Dogs may not be used.

Applications for these hunts
and the Oct. 17-18 youth hunt
must be made in person at the
Black Prairie headquarters on
Sept. 25 between 9 a.m. and 5
p.m.

Hunters may send a rep-
resentative to apply for their
permit or any other applicants,
a spokesman said.

Permits for the antler-only
buck hunt on Black Prairie will
be drawn from names of hun-
ters who have checked in a legal
antlerless deer on the area. A
total of 30 hunters will be ran-
domly drawn for each four-day
antlerless hunt. A total of 20
youth hunters will be randomly

drawn for the Oct. 17-18 youth
hunt.

Meanwhile on the Hell Creek
Wildlife Management Area in
Union and Tippah counties,
deer hunting there will be al-
lowed only by special permit.
Dogs may not be used for deer
hunting.

Applications for the antler-
less hunting permits must be
made in person at the area
headquarters on Sept. 18, 9
a.m.-5 p.m. Hunters may send a
representative to apply for their
permit or any other applicants.

Permits for the antler-only
buck hunt will be drawn from
names of hunters who have
checked in a legal antlerless
deer on the area. A total of 15
hunters will be randomly
drawn for each four-day antler-
less hunt. Permits are not
transferable.

If hunters have questions ab-
out these or other regulations,
they should call the District 1
Office of the Department of
Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks at
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Roland is also a member of
the Mississippi Association of
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Roland commented on the
School of Basketball, "I have ob-
served several camps across the
country and I feel that this is de-
finitely one of the best in the
United States."

"I have been extremely im-
pressed with the camp since its
inception twelve years ago. They
have assembled a very de-

scribed staff of coaches that
spent time with each camper;
whereas, at other camps some
individuals could get lost in the
shuffle. But, that doesn't hap-
pen here."

Jay and Michael Ladner have
put together another classic
School of Basketball. They have
already started planning next
summer's annual events.

So, mark your calendars for
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THE SEA COAST ECNO-SUNDAY, AUGUST 1, 1999-99

Final registration set

The Bay St. Louis Youth
Football and Cheerleading
league will hold their final re-
gistration for the regular sea-
son on August 6 & 7.
Registration will be held at
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D'Ambrosio named Wildcat soccer coach

Chris D'Ambrosio of Brandon was named head coach of the Pearl River Community College Wildcat soccer team.

Everything is complete for Pearl River College to field men and women teams for the first time this fall. The Wildcats will play 16 intercollegiate matches while the Lady Wildcats have 11 games scheduled. The Wildcats will open their inaugural season at Hinds Aug. 28.

College officials announced that Adam Breerwood will coach the Lady Wildcat soccer team.

D'Ambrosio was an assistant coach and intern for the South

Jones High School soccer team last year and a coach in the Brandon City League in 1997.

He played for Meridian Community College in 1996 and 1997.

"I will provide the foundation and discipline for us to be tough competitors on this level," said D'Ambrosio. "I look forward to the challenge of building this program from the ground up."

Kenyatta Scott, head soccer coach at Hattiesburg High and D'Ambrosio's coach at Brandon, says his former player "knows where soccer has been and where it needs to go."

D'Ambrosio's South Jones

team beat Scott's Hattiesburg Tigers by one point this past year. "I hated to lose that game but, I was happy for Chris," said Scott. "It was the student beating his mentor thing, and I was happy for him."

The Wildcat and Lady Wildcat soccer teams will report for practice Aug. 9. Uniforms and equipment are ready, and a soccer complex near the Wildcat baseball diamond is under construction. However, some home games may be played this fall in the Dobie Holden Stadium.

"I am impressed with the talent of the players signed to

scholarship," said D'Ambrosio. "I'm looking forward to building an exceptional program which will compliment and uphold the outstanding Pearl River athletic tradition."

D'Ambrosio, 23, was captain on the Brandon High soccer team which on the 1996 state championship. As a participant in the state youth soccer program, he was a starter on the 1996 Jackson Futbol Club team which won state and regional crowns. He also played on Brandon league teams which won state and regional championships in 1988 and 1990.

The Jackson Futbol Club and Brandon participate in Division One Select Soccer in Mississippi which competes in intrastate and interstate matches. Mississippi is in Region 3 which includes 12 states.

D'Ambrosio, best defensive player all four years in high school, was awarded the same honor by the Jackson Futbol Club and during Select Region 3 competition in 1996.

The son of Joe and Susan D'Ambrosio, Chris has been involved in soccer since the age of six.

"There are a lot of exciting things happening in the world of soccer here in Mississippi," said D'Ambrosio. "The sport will provide more and more great opportunities."

D'Ambrosio was also coached by Tupelo High Coach Ron Baer and Millsaps Coach Bill Lytton.

Pass Ladies Golf announces results

Pass Christian Ladies Golf Association's July 27 Beat Nine Low Net format results are:

First place, Nancy Witt; second, Terry Scott and Doris Lackis; third, Dee Horst, Helen Smith and Sara Schexnaydre; fourth, Joan Anderson; fifth Inge Crochet

Nine-holers, low gross-low net: Margie Lindsey, low gross; Ada Winchester and Gwenn Voigts, low net



Silver medalists

Bayhi's School of Dance competition team won silver at the Professional Dance Teachers Association national competition in New York. Jeanne and her students spent a week in New York and attended the convention workshop, but the highlight of the trip was going to two Broadway shows, "Fosse" and "Foot Loose." "We feel very blessed to have qualified and venture this far from home to pursue our dreams," a spokesperson said.

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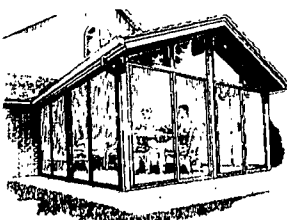
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BUSINESS NEWS

Virginia firm awarded NASA data contract

NASA recently awarded a Virginia firm a three-year \$2.04 million contract by NASA to deliver polar ozone and aerosol data to the Agency's Earth Science division.

Computational Physics Inc. (CPI) of Fairfax, will deliver high-resolution data of polar ozone and aerosols derived from the Polar Ozone and Aerosol Monitor III (POAM III) instrument.

"The POAM III data will be used by NASA's Earth Science community to study the long-term trends of the ozone layer," said Vicki Zanon, a project engineer with NASA's Commercial Remote Sensing Program (CRSP) at Stennis Space Center. "The polar ozone data will be submitted to NASA on a monthly basis beginning in August 1999."

As NASA's lead center for commercial remote sensing within the Earth Science Enterprise, Stennis Space Center will administer the contract with CPI. Zanon said NASA expressed a need for polar ozone data to support ongoing research and CRSP looked to industry to fill that need.

CPI has already begun gathering data and is scheduled to present its first month's findings to NASA by mid-August.

"Stennis has the expertise in data buys and negotiated the contract on behalf of the Earth Science Enterprise," said Jack Kaye, director of NASA's research division in the office of Earth Science in Washington, D.C.

The data will also be available to the public for use by research groups, universities, NASA centers, international and other investigative groups studying the ozone layer depletion, Kaye added.

E. W. Chappell, CPI's chief operating officer, said the POAM III will take ozone readings by looking through the earth's atmosphere and taking measurements at different levels. Originally developed by the Naval Research Laboratory in Washington, D.C., the POAM III was launched onboard the French satellite, SPOT4.

The POAM III records 28 measurements of ozone levels per day — 14 measurements from each of the southern and northern hemispheres.

FINANCIAL FOCUS

Submitted by Craig Foster
Edward Jones Co.

Get the right ADVICE from your investment professional

Like most people, you probably have some important goals you want to achieve. You may want to pay for your children's college education. You may want to purchase a vacation home. And you certainly want to be able to enjoy a comfortable retirement. To achieve these and other objectives, you will need to create a solid, long-term financial plan. And you may well want to enlist an expert to help you.

How can you find the right financial professional for your individual needs? Start by asking your friends and relatives whom they use. Then, after you've collected a few referrals, conduct some interviews. Ask the professionals how they work, what they specialize in, and if they've had experience helping people in situations similar to yours. It's extremely important that you feel a good rapport with the person you choose — after all, he or she will be helping you make some very important decisions that have a major impact on your life.

Once you have selected a financial professional to work

with, what can you expect from that person? The Forum for Investor Advice (FIA), the national association of the financial services industry, has some suggestions. To make them easy to remember, the FIA has developed the acronym ADVICE, which stands for the following traits:

Accountable—Financial professionals should make suitable recommendations based on their knowledge of the investment world and on the information they've gathered about your financial needs and goals. Furthermore, your financial consultant should suggest ways you can adjust your portfolio in response to changes in the financial markets and in your personal situation.

Dependable—A financial professional should provide advice based on the knowledge and judgment that result from training and experience. Professionals' skills should also be supported by current technology.

Valuable—Your financial consultant should add value by providing information and

expertise that you might otherwise not have access to.

Individualized—All recommendations coming from a financial professional should be tailored to your individual circumstances. Your financial consultant should recommend only those products and services that fit within your tolerance for risk, your investment preferences and your time horizon.

Caring—A financial professional must be sensitive to your family situation, your investment personality and your preferred methods of interaction.

Educational—A financial professional should provide you with clear, comprehensive, objective and timely information to help you understand your investment choices. And your financial consultant should be able—and willing—to take the time necessary to explain anything that is unclear to you.

Remember, when you're working with a financial professional, you're not just buying an investment—you're building a relationship. That's why it's important that you select a professional who will provide you with the right

Guichet named trust manager

Hancock Bank President George A. Schloegel announced that Hancock has promoted



Paul D. Guichet

Paul D. Guichet to personal trust manager with Hancock's Trust and Financial Services Group.

According to Schloegel, Guichet's new responsibilities involve managing and administering the bank's personal trust activities in Mississippi, including investment management, financial planning and wealth management strategies for clients.

Guichet will also serve as chairman of the Mississippi Trust Administrative Committee.

"Paul Guichet's banking experience and his knowledge of our local communities will undoubtedly benefit our trust department clients and our entire organization," said Schloegel.

A former assistant vice president with Hibernia Bank, Slidell, native Guichet joined Hancock Bank in 1995 and served as branch manager at Hancock's Diamondhead location before his trust appointment. Guichet received a bachelor of arts degree in economics from Tulane University.

Trust and Financial Services Director Clifton J. Saik said, "As we develop exciting trust and investments initiatives for our clients, Paul brings to Hancock's trust department strong banking expertise, a wonderful rapport with Hancock customers and a sincere — almost zealous — commitment to helping clients achieve their financial objectives."

Guichet is a United States Air Force Reserve officer and remains active in numerous Gulf Coast professional, civic and social organizations. He is Diamondhead Rotary Club vice president, a Junior Achievement advisor and a member of the Diamondhead Boaters Association and Diamondhead Men's Golf Association.

A board member and economic development chairperson for the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce, Guichet participates in Vision 2000 — a group of Hancock County business people and public officials dedicated to fostering economic growth.

Guichet is also past president and board member of the Diamondhead Business and Professional Association and board member for both the Diamondhead Youth Organization and Diamondhead Academy.

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Submitted by Craig Foster, Edward D. Jones Co.

REFLECTIONS ON LIFE

By Father Jerome
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The doorbell phenomenon, which I have addressed before, must wear as strangely on others as it does on me. More often than not, if distance or busy hands delay you about a minute, a doorbell ringer will be gone before you reach the door.

Only a piece of the tip of the iceberg, this antsy, very troubled impatience is symptomatic of the daunting array of ills plaguing our modern racy, instant, melodramatic society. The doorbell is our least problem, but it bares the others.

Road rage, some say, is no worse than it ever was. We are just more aware of it now. Evidently, the folks who say that have not driven extensively over a span of 30 years. Our roads witness the same impatience as we see in bell ringers.

Checkout liens in supermarkets and department stores tell the same story every day, even when there is no special hitch such as a cranky or tired cashier, a flaky computer or confusion over prices. The bile of impatience always oozes out.

Not having the patience to wait for lights to cycle, motorists run half-caution and frequently all-red. For their part, numerous "pedestrians" could not care less what color the light is or where the pedestrian crossing lane is painted.

It all has to happen now! No delays, no inconveniences, no hassling with rules of conduct or passage. Now! Give me what I want now as quickly as instant coffee, soup or beverage!

After watching all these public displays of impatience and distemper, we can only

wince while we imagine the fire-works and ordeals which transpire in the goldfish-bowl pit of family life. Impatience is at its worst with those close to us.

An anonymous author penned a remarkable poem which spells out the roots of our problem of not having time for anyone or anything:

"I got up early one morning and rushed right into the day; I had so much to accomplish that I didn't have time to pray."

Predictably, the author proceeded pell-mell into every task, finding each succeeding one harder than the one before.

"Why doesn't God help me? I wondered

"He answered, 'You didn't ask.'"

Looking desperately for joy and beauty amid the unyielding grayness and bleakness of the day, he grasped for an answer:

"I wondered why God didn't show me.

"He said, 'But you didn't seek.'"

Convinced now that he must come into God's presence, he used all his keys to get at the lock where God lives.

"God gently and lovingly chided, 'My child, you didn't knock.'"

Finally, after rushing into the day without a special power charge, and spinning his wheels through the day in frustration, weakness and disappointment, he surrendered to God:

"I woke up early this morning, and paused before entering the day; I had so much to accomplish that I had to take time to pray."

If only we had time to pray! If only we had enough sense to

If only we had time to pray

realize that, far from robbing us of precious moments of time, prayer increases the sharpness of our understanding, the economy of our time and the invest-

ment of our heart.

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The Bible defines love. "This is love, that we walk according to His commandments" (2 John 1:6). Simple, isn't it? Or is it? Let's take just one of the Ten Commandments, "You shall not commit adultery" (Exodus 20:14). This word from God is part of a larger framework, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself" (Mark 12:31). True love keeps this commandment. Perverse, self-serving lust breaks it.

The Bible gives further definition. "Marriage is to be held in honor among all, and the marriage bed is to be undefiled; for fornicators and adulterers God will judge" (Hebrews 13:4). Adultery, sexual relations with a person not your spouse, and fornication, sexual relations while not married, violate the principle of love. They denigrate marriage. They both defile the marriage bed. According to the Bible, God condemns them both.

Do you meet the test of love? Godly people relish keeping God's commandments. They emulate the love of God. They sense no burden. "For this is the love of God that we keep His commandments; and His commandments are not burdensome" (1 John 5:3).

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Rummage sale planned by First Presbyterian

At its meeting July 19, the session approved a rummage sale to be held in the Fellowship Hall of the First Presbyterian Church in Bay St. Louis Aug. 7, 7 a.m.-3 p.m.

Project managers are Teresa Pernicaro (255-8785) and Carolyn Geoffrey (466-5776).

It is the intention of the session that this project involve all members and friends. Volunteers are needed for pickup of donated material, sales floor people, pricing, cleaning-and-sorting people, and clean-up.

A sign-up sheet is posted in the fellowship hall.

"Search our attics, garages and closets for saleable items that you would wish to donate to this sale. If possible, bring your contributions to the church between 9 a.m. and noon Monday through Friday, or bring them to church with you on Sunday," a spokesperson said.

Donations will be received in Classroom One, which is closest to the nursery. Those who wish to have donations picked up,

call Teresa, Carolyn or the church office.

Proceeds from the sale will be used toward payment for the air conditioner in the Fellowship Hall.

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73 Help Wanted

INSTRUCTOR: DESIGN AND LEAD implementation of innovative evening pilot program for selected adults who have dropped out of school prior to graduation. Program will offer clients customized goal setting, skill building, and focus on positive results. Optimal goal for each client is successful completion of GED or high school diploma and demonstrated self-sufficiency in the workplace. Must be able to effectively teach basic-to-intermediate computer applications to others and guide their successes on individualized special projects. Requires knowledge of, and ability to guide others in career exploration skills, work ethic values, positive self-sufficiency behaviors, and job skills development. Must have demonstrated ability to provide enrichment and/or remedial help in reading, math, and other subjects. Teacher certification preferred. Ideal candidate will be friendly, flexible, organized, knowledgeable of adult learning and development, supportive and understanding of adults in an unstructured learning environment, and able to individualize lessons for each client in small group. The position is part-time approximately twenty hours per week, four hours per day from 5:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. Submit resume to Human Resources, Instructor, 330 Courthouse Road, Gulfport, MS, 39507 or fax to 228-897-3687, no later than August 10, 1999. Gulf Coast Business Services does not assume responsibility for faxes not received. We reserve the right to waive certain requirements and information based on total qualifications of an applicant. EEO Employer. Auxiliary services/aids are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

LADLAW TRANSIT ACCEPTING applications for dispatch/operations manager for Gulfport office. Apply at 1023 Hwy. 90 or call Jim Gurner 228-868-7720.

LEARN TO EARN. TWELVE WEEKS income tax school. Bay St. Louis, Waveland employment possible. Call for brochure and registration. 463-1077.

LICENSED SOCIAL WORKER FOR WAVELAND area. State applications available at employment office or South Mississippi Regional Center 1170 West Railroad, Long Beach, MS. Call Deborah at (228)388-9302, for further information.

LPN/RN NEEDED FOR BUSY PHYSICIANS office in Hancock County. 30-40hrs per week. Dependable, friendly, neat appearance, Venipuncture and injections required, X-rays helpful. Mail to Box FM, P.O. Box 2009, Bay St. Louis, MS 39521-2009.

MEDICAL BILLERS NEEDED NOW. FT/PT will train. PC required. Up to 50K year. 1-800-600-1844 #428m

MEDICAL PATIENT NEEDING Transportation to Slidell. Write to: Medical Patient 419 State St. B.S.L. 39520 Leave name and phone number.

PART TIME NURSES AID TYPE WORK. Caring for middle aged handicapped male. Flexible hours and negotiable. 467-7671

SITTER WANTED FOR EDERLY LADY. Weekends, 8-5, occasional relief during week. Call 255-9286 between 8:30-5:00. No night calls.

THE CITY OF WAVELAND IS CURRENTLY taken applications for 2 Animal Care Attendants for the Waveland Animal Shelter. Applications can be picked up at City Hall, 301 Coleman Ave., Waveland, MS. The City of Waveland is an E.O.E.

WANTED: BABYSITTER FOR KIDS age 0-3, Sunday's only 8:45-11:15 a.m. Diamondhead Community Church, 255-5556.

81 Appliances

REBUILT WASHERS AND DRYERS: Fully guaranteed. We have parts and do repair. We also buy used appliances. Bay Washers. 467-6122.

REBUILT WASHERS & DRYERS FOR sale. Repairs and parts on all appliance warranty terms available. 466-2577, beeper 880-7651

SALES ON NEW & USED APPLIANCE parts & home repair service on washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezers. Dollar Rental 467-9545.

83 Items For Sale

3-N-SYNC CONCERT TICKETS August 12, 1999, New Orleans Superdome, 2nd row on the floor, \$150.00. 467-2203

3 WINDOW AC'S FOR SALE. All repairs done half-price in shop; Freon \$28.50; cleaning \$28.50; small motors \$45 installed; lg. motors \$85 installed. Bring-in service only. Sell, buy & trade. We dispose of old units for free. 467-6849.

BEDLINER: SWV DODGE RAM, \$100. 467-5305.

BOB'S LIVE FAT CRABS. Open after 12 noon. Pleasure St., Lakeshore. 467-6614.

CRABS ALIVE! BUY DIRECT FROM local fishermen. Ice Furnished. Call 466-6595 or 467-9761.

DISH NETWORK, COMPLETE SATELLITE System, Universal Remote, 3 year warranty, professionally installed. Own it for as little as \$29.00 per month. Call NOW 831-0086 or 1-800-832-3316.

DISH NETWORK SATELLITE SYSTEM \$189. with dual LNB. Rebate offer available. 40 channels \$19.99/100 channels \$28.99 per month. Call for specials. 228-831-0086 or 800-832-3316

FOR SALE: SUPER NINTENDO SYSTEM \$40, and 39 games to choose from \$10 ea. call 466-0010

HEAVY DUTY CAR DOLLY \$400. 209-5044

83 Items For Sale

NEW ELECTRIC WHEEL CHAIR: 1990 Chevy Celebrity Stationwagon. \$650; 1988 Oldsmobile Regency, cold air. \$1,000. 467-8819.

NEWLY USED EXERCISE HEALTH RIDER and stair stepper Health Rider \$75. OBO (1/2 Price). Stair Stepper \$60. OBO. 483-1823 evenings.

TABLE SAW, HARDLY USED. \$295.00. 467-4871.

TILLMAN'S BOAT FRESH SHRIMP. Now open. 467-9316 or 467-8235.

84 Furniture

COUCH AND LOVESEAT: 7ft. multi colored upholstered couch with 5ft. matching loveseat. Excellent condition. \$425.00 firm for both. 467-4813.

FURNITURE & APPLIANCES FOR SALE OR RENT TO OWN, Dollar Rental. 467-9545.

SALE ON OFFICE FURNITURE AND supplies such as: computer tables, office dividers, air conditioners, etc., located at 1912 North Beach Blvd., Saturday, August 1.

85 Building Materials

CERAMIC TILE: InterCeramic, Summitville, DAL, KPT, Laufen. 500,000 sq.ft. in stock. Attention: Builders, Floormen, special prices, 88¢ sq.ft. to \$1.80 sq.ft. 1-800-233-6702. **FLOOR STORE,** Slidell, 1725 Gause Blvd. off I-10, next to Smith & Jones, Buildmart.

METAL ROOFING/SIDING - 6 colors galv. to 24ft. length. 38" wide-28 ga. galv. 99¢ ft. Colors, \$1.19 ft. V-crimp & corrug. 64¢ ft. Ridge cap, rake & corner, purlins \$1.00 ft. Roofing/Siding from \$14.90 sq. Warehouse Sales, Slidell, LA Exit 263 I-10. 800-842-6646.

86 Business Equipment

COMMERCIAL RESTURANT EQUIP., stainless sub-0 refrig., 3 unit sink, tappan range. Call 463-1913 after 6:00pm.

90 Pets

BASSET HOUND PUPPIES AKC REGISTERED, mild tempered couch potatoes, tri-color, parents on site, vet checked, shots. 334-645-2142

FREE POMERANIAN, FEMALE, Spaded puppy. 467-0852

LOST GERMAN SHEPHERD IN WAVE- LAND beach area. Very gentle. 463-0319 or 466-2818. Reward!

ONE BEDROOM, FURNISHED APT. All utilities furnished, \$115.wk., \$150.dep. 467-0850

ONE POT-BELLIED PIG, 5 days old, \$25. Small & large rabbits for sale, \$4/each. Call anytime. 467-3796.

93 Yard Sale

DEADLINES FOR YARD, GARAGE SALES advertisements appearing in THURSDAY'S Editions of THE SEA COAST ECHO is 5 p.m. TUESDAY'S.

EVERYDAY IS SALE DAY AT YOUR Bay St. Louis Goodwill Store, Bay Mall Shopping Center, Dunbar & Highway 90. Mon. thru Sat. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 467-7277.

96 Wanted To Buy

ANTIQUES, COLLECTIBLES, TOOLS, dolls, furniture. One piece or house full. Call 467-2638 days.

QUICK CASH FOR ALMOST ANYTHING before yard sale hassel, moving or clearing out. We buy households, furniture, antique, tools, toys, info-banc, etc. Piece or house full. No answer leave message. 467-4887.

WE BUY (OLD) WATCHES, wrist, & pocket, rings, gold, estate pieces, musical instruments, & cash \$ Bayou Jewelers. 466-0425.

126 Campers/Motorhomes

1998 30' SUNNYBROOK SLEEPS 4, great condition, \$13,500. Call 467-9480

127 RV Sites

FULL HOOKUPS, 30/50AMPS, LAUN- dromat, cable available, \$175.mo. and up. Close to Port Blenville and Stennis. Pearlinton, MS. 228-533-7001

128 Boats & Motors

1989 19' COLBY CABIN, inboard/outboard, interior needs to be finished. ALSO 16' Sailboat w/cabin, sails & extra motor. 255-3425.

20' WELLCRAFT, 165 HP Mercruiser engine, galvanized trailer, \$4,900. 255-2970.

'94 Seadoo Explorer: Few hours, \$4,500. obo. Help send boy to college. 467-3226.

130 Motorcycles

1995 RED YAMAHA VIRAGO 250 in excellent condition. Asking \$1,800. (retail book value \$2,500.) Call 467-7149 or 516-3139.

136 Automobiles

1992 EAGLE TALON, BLACK, 5 speed, ac. Shipping out, must sell cheap! \$2,500. 209-5044.

1994 FORD THUNDERBIRD, V8, great shape, good miles, comes with extended warranty, \$7800. 466-0010

1995 NISSAN ALTIMA, EQUIPPED not stripped. 63,000 miles. Your choice, \$139.83 per month or \$7495.00. Jimmy Stockstill Motors, Picayune 1-800-798-9133

64 DODGE DART, 4 DR., GARAGE kept, original paint. \$2,000. 467-0240.

89 HONDA ACCORD, 4DR, gray, auto, ac, low miles. \$3,998. Financing available. Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

94 FORD MUSTANG CONVERTIBLE, white, auto, ac, loaded, 60K miles, \$9,998. 0 down, Financing available. Danny, 504-639-7576.

97 GEO METRO, 2DR, WHITE, auto, ac, 34K miles. \$5,298. 0 down, \$99 per month. Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

97 PONTIAC GRAND AM, 4DR, teal, V-6, auto, all power, \$9,998. 0 down, financing available. Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

AUTO INSURANCE WITH MONTHLY PAYMENTS as low as \$24. Call Paul Smith Insurance Agency, 467-4607 or 467-1152.

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1996 PONTIAC FIREBIRD, CAP needs painting, auto, am/fm. 467-4688

1991 CHEV. CORNICA \$780, runs good, needs windshield, 1998 Ford LTD, runs \$900., 1991 Dodge Ram Charger, runs and looks great. \$4800. 466-3687

138 Trucks, Vans

1988 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER, AUTO, am/ fm, real nice. 467-4588

1987 GMC SIERRA VAN, \$1,200. 209-5044.

1991 DODGE COLT \$1350. 466-0971.

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95 CHEV S-10 PU, 35,000 MILES, nice. \$500.00 Down. Notes as low as \$199.58 per month. An excellent buy only at Jimmy Stockstill Motors, Picayune 1-800-798-9133

95 FORD WINDSTAR VAN, 7 pass., loaded, only 48K miles. \$9,998. 0 down, financing available. Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

96 DODGE CARAVAN, 7 PASS., dual doors, loaded, \$8,998. 0 down, \$179 per month. Financing available. Danny, 504-639-7576.

96 GMC, 1500 SERIES P/U, Club cab, full size, loaded, V-8, \$15,998. 0 down, financing available. Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

97 GMC SAFARI VAN, raised roof, dual air, TV, VCR, loaded, \$13,998. 0 down, financing on the spot. Danny Farrell, 504-639-7576.

FORD RANGER, 1996, NEEDS WORK to restore, great for parts, \$400. negotiable; call between 9a.m. & 1p.m. 467-0235

MERCURY MOUNTAINEER 1997, V8, Fully equipped, excellent condition, only 30,000 miles, factory warranty, \$18,900. 467-7886

145 Roommates Wanted

HARD WORKING, SINGLE MALE SEEKS same to share country dwelling on six acres outside of Kiln. \$350 month, includes everything. 255-1661.

146 Rooms For Rent

LARGE ROOM FOR RENT: Furnished; private entrance, share bath w/landlord. Near beach. \$60 week, deposit. 466-2704.

147 Apt. For Rent

BAY ST. LOUIS: QUIET, PET-free one bedroom furnished. All utilities includes cable. \$495/month plus deposit. 466-4970.

NOTICE

ABANDONED

VEHICLES

The following vehicles will be sold 30 days after the first publication:
1986 Thunderbird
VIN #1FABP4678GH241717
Tag# 2CYE516 California
These vehicles will be sold on or after August 16, 1999.
Lonnie's Tire & Auto
16480 Hwy. 603
Kiln, MS 39556-8288
228-255-6090

7/18; 7/25; 8/1/99

147 Apt. For Rent

1 BEDROOM APARTMENT, ALL UTIL- ities paid, \$800.mo. 463-4186

BAY ST. LOUIS: HWY 90, 2BR/1 1/2 BA Townhouse for lease, \$850/month, \$600/depot. Available immediately. *Also 3BR/2BA, \$800/month, \$600/depot. Available September 1st. 1-888-848-2111.

DIAMONDHEAD: New, upscale 2br-2ba condo w/wide lobby room, large kitchen, separate dining. Ceramic tile, oversized balcony, screened patio, plenty of storage. 2 min. from I-10. Unfurnished. \$800/mo., 1-yr. lease. Call Bratcher Steel, 255-1115.

FURNISHED, BEACH VIEW, UP- STAIRS, deck, 2bdrm, 1 bath. 466-0509 leave message.

GULF GROVE APARTMENTS - Special 1, 2 and 3 bedrooms all with washer/dryer hook-ups. Fireplaces in all 2 bedrooms. 2057 Waveland Ave., Waveland, MS. 467-3122.

GREAT MOVE IN SPECIAL!!! Great Pass location. One's from \$370; Two's from \$405; and three's from \$505. Call 462-8901.

UNIQUE 2 BR APTS IN WAVELAND, Oak Park Apt., \$495/mo. 467-8882.

UPSTAIRS, UNFURNISHED, TWO BEDROOM apartment in Bay St. Louis. Central air & heat, pet free environment. 255-3867.

148 Mobile Homes For Rent

2 BDRM, 1 BATH, HEAT & A/C, \$350mo, deposit required, pet free environment. (504)286-3819.

3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH, HEAT/AIR, carpeted, with porch & carport, peaceful setting, \$475/month, deposit required. 1-504-286-3819 leave message on recorder.

BEAUTIFUL TRAILER ON DEEP WATER bayou. 5040 Utah Street, off Logan & 603. \$400/month, \$400/deposit. 504-454-8138.

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Player's Club Attendant
Purchasing Buyer
Bartender
Cage Cashiers (FT & PT)

Facilities Custodians
Golf Course Equipment Operators (FT & PT)
Golf Guest Service Attendants (PT)
Golf Shop Attendant
Heavy Groundskeeper
Slot Changeperson (PT)
Slot Floorperson (PT)
Lead Slot Technician
Table Games Dealers (PT)
Transportation Bus Driver

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Cashier/Host
Kitchen Utility

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APPLICATIONS ARE TAKEN ON TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 9:00AM UNTIL 4:00PM IN THE HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICE IN THE MARKETOWN SHOPPING CENTER-HWY 90 IN BAY ST LOUIS • (228) 467-9257
Please dress appropriately when applying as you may be interviewed the very same day

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140 Mobile Homes For Sale

1986 FLEETWOOD TRAILER: 20'x30', 22,000 dsm, 244,000. You have a look! Call Linda, 466-9047.

AAA HOMES HAS JUST BEEN "AU-THORIZED" for sales needed to match up to a limited amount of your down payment. We'll even help you find the lowest cost of financing at the lowest rate. Call 1-800-843-8832. 376 Voters Road, Sidel.

AAA HOMES "SPRING MADNESS". "Select" model about. These homes must go "No Resale" after release. No dealers please! Call 1-800-843-8832. 376 Voters Road, Sidel.

150 Unfurn. Houses For Rent

1 BR W/DECK, ON WATER, CENT. A/C, kitchen appliances, washer/dryer hook-ups. In Shoreline Park near I-10 and Hwy 90. \$480/month plus 1 month deposit. 467-4139.

2 AND 3 BEDROOM HOMES, \$395-\$650 monthly. Call Bridget for details at Gertrude Gardner. Realtors, 467-1802 or 466-0219.

2BDRM, 1B, SMALL WATERFRONT cottage, boatdock, quiet street, \$450/mo., \$350/deposit, lease, pet and smoke-free environment. 467-1380.

3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH, HEAT & AIR, \$500/month, deposit required. 1-504-286-3819 leave message on recorder.

BRAND NEW, NEVER LIVED IN 3BR/2BA brick home. Ceramic tile, wall paper throughout. \$650/month, \$650/deposit. 467-7363.

DIAMONDHEAD, BRAND NEW HOME. 3bdrm, 2 bath, fireplace, dbl car garage, covered back porch, available Aug. 1st. Bob Sauder Real Estate. 255-3060

LIKE NEW 3 BR, 2 BA, from \$750 per month. Century 21 of Diamondhead. 255-3550.

LOOKING FOR A RENTAL? CALL US! Ashman Mollere Realty Incorporated. 467-5429.

WATERFRONT: 2BD, LARGE LAUNDRY room downstairs, fenced yard, fishing pier, backdown boat launch, pet free, \$595/month. 255-8775.

SPANISH ACRES BSL. AVAILABLE Aug. 7th. 3bdrm, 2 bath, stove, refrigerator, central air/heat, on cul-de-sac. \$625/mo. plus utilities and deposit. 466-4361 after 5:30 p.m. weekdays, anytime weekends.

WATERFRONT DOWNSTAIRS DUPLEX ON Hwy. 603, 2B, 1 bath, 1100 sq. ft. pet & smoke free environment. \$425/month, \$300/deposit. Lease. 467-1380.

2 BEDROOM UNFURNISHED HOME w/ large screened porch close to the beach in Waveland. \$450/month, pet-free. Also - Upscale 2BDRM/2BA large home with cathedral ceiling, fireplace, back screen porch on a seldom traveled street. \$790/month, pet/smoke free. Key Properties Inc. 467-0600, Ask for Carol.

156 Lots/Acreage

1 1/2 ACRES ON LOWER BAY RD. Call Blake, 467-2839 or e-mail blacads@blacads.com

FOR SALE: 4.5 ACRES ON OLD LOWER Bay Road. Owner finance, no restrictions. 1-800-223-9073 or 467-3754.

FOR SALE: APPROX. 27 ACRES CLEARED with some oak trees. Located on projected water and sewage route in Shoreline Park area. Partial owner financing. Call 228-467-4917.

WATERFRONT LOTS FOR SALE. Ready for houses only. Owner financed. 467-3754 or 1-800-223-9073.

Public Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN RE: VALIDATION OF \$2,500,000 HANCOCK COUNTY MISSISSIPPI GENERAL OBLIGATION PORT BONDS, SERIES 1999

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

You are hereby notified that the matter of the validation of the above described obligations will be heard on the 17th day of August, 1999, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, in the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, at which time and date written objections to the validation of the issuance of said obligations, if any, must be filed.

By order of the Chancellor, this, the 22nd day of July, 1999.

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

By: Janet Lachner, D.C. 8-1-99

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

DIAMONDHEAD COUNTRY CLUB AND PROPERTY OWNERS' ASSOCIATION, INC., PLAINTIFF

VERSUS

MURRAY R. TEMPLETON and ANNA R. TEMPLETON, DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE UNDER EXECUTION

By virtue of the hereunder stated execution to me directed by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 17th day of August, 1999, at the front door of the Hancock County Courthouse in the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, within the legal hours of 11:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m., I, the undersigned, will sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, interest and claim of the Defendant, MURRAY R. TEMPLETON and ANNA R. TEMPLETON, in and to the following described real property, to wit:

Lot 31 and 32, Block 77, Amended Plat of Unit 2, DIAMONDHEAD, Phase 1, as per map or plat of said subdivision on file and of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Hancock County, Mississippi, which has been levied on as the property of the Defendant and will be sold to satisfy the judgment entered in this action in the amount of \$36,102.89, together with delinquent assessments from May 25, 1999, plus interest as provided for in the covenants of Diamondhead Country Club and Property Owners' Association, Inc., from date until paid and attorney's fee in the amount of \$200.00 of the amount owed, together with all interest and costs.

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, COMMISSIONER 7-25-99 8-1-99

Public Notice

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, in and to the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARTIN WARREN, JR., DECEASED

CAUSE NO. 99-0510

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, G. MARTIN WARREN, JR., CO-EXECUTOR of the Estate of MARTIN WARREN, JR., DECEASED, is hereby notified to present to the undersigned, G. MARTIN WARREN, JR., CO-EXECUTOR, all claims against said estate within ninety (90) days from the date of the first publication of this notice. Failure to do so will bar the claim, forever, bar said claim.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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By order of the Chancellor, this, the 22nd day of July, 1999.

G. MARTIN WARREN, JR., CO-EXECUTOR

By: Janet Lachner, D.C. 8-1-99

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Bay St. Louis-Waveland Schools Claims Docket

The following claims as listed on the Docket of Claims are presented for payment on this date, June 24, 1999.

The Mail Bag, Postage \$1.00; MS School Boards Assoc., Gt. Payment 7,008.75; Oden Post Central, Maint. 800.00; Sea Coast Expo, Adv. 14.00; Coast Electric, Electricity 4,490.46; Motels, Phone 23.84; Mont Electric, Maint. 12.31; R. R. Morton, Fuel 27.14; AT&T, Phone 14.80; South Miss. Business Machines, Maint. 190.00; Wes Deerpark, Refund. 9.99; Garland Caves, Phone 18.18; Wal-Mart, Supplies 198.80; Auto Glass, Repair 130.00; Irene Kaskan, May Per Diem 200.00; Richard Flowers, Jackson Reimb. 238.55; Student Activity Fund, Transfer 12,000.00; Lucent Technologies, Phone 66.70; AT&T, Phone 7.94; Wal-Mart, Supplies 119.95; Parker

Public Notice

NOTICE TO MODERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, until 11:00 a.m., August 30, 1999, and shortly thereafter publicly opened for:

THE SALE OF COUNTY SURPLUS PROPERTY KNOWN AS THE OLD HEALTH DEPARTMENT PROPERTY ON DUNBAR AVENUE, BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI (AS SHOWN HERE BY)

Description of said property is on file and can be obtained by contacting the Board of Supervisors Office, 150 Main Street, P.O. Box 429, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, or by calling 467-0172.

The Board of Supervisors has set a minimum bid of \$60,000.00 for said surplus property.

All envelopes must be marked on the outside of the envelope "BID ENCLOSED" and state the item bid on and the bid opening date.

All envelopes must be stamped filed in the Hancock County Chancery Clerk's Office before 11:00 a.m. on the day of the bid opening date.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Published by Order of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, this 6th day of July, 1999.

(SEAL)

Timothy A. Keller, Clerk, Board of Supervisors Hancock County, Mississippi

By: Terry E. Guenard, D.C. 8-1-99; 8-8; 8-15-99

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

HANCOCK COUNTY

990571

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration having been granted on the 30th day of July, 1999 by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of ETHEL YOUNG ARAGON, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within 90 days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This the 30th day of July, 1999.

SHEILA ARAGON KRUSE, Administratrix 8-1-99; 8-8; 8-15-99

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RANEE MORREALE

CIVIL ACTION NO. 99-0550

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

RANEE MORREALE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 28 day of July, 1999, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of RANEE MORREALE, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This the 28 day of July, 1999.

RAY ANN MORREALE GARCIA, Executrix 8/1-99, 8/8-99, 8/15-99

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF AMOS PAUL CUEVAS, and NOLLIE DESCHAMP CUEVAS, DECEASED

CIVIL ACTION NO. 99-0570

SUMMONS

TO THE HEIRS AT LAW OF AMOS PAUL CUEVAS AND NOLLIE DESCHAMP CUEVAS, DECEASED, who are believed to be non-residents of the State of Mississippi, whose names and addresses, both post office and street addresses, are unknown after diligent search and inquiry.

You have been made Defendants in the lawsuit filed in this Court by Floyd Lee Cuevas, seeking adjudication that he is the sole heir at law of Amos Paul Cuevas and Nollie Deschamp Cuevas, deceased.

You are summoned to appear and defend against said petition filed against you in this action at 10:00 a.m. on the 10th day of September, 1999, before the Honorable J.N. Randall in the courtroom of the Hancock County Courthouse, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the petition.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you desire.

ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT, this 30th day of July, A.D., 1999.

(SEAL)

TIM A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK BY: LARRINELL SCARBOROUGH 8-1-99; 8-8; 8-15-99

Pending, Supplies 88.74; Assoc. Feed, Feed Service Equipment 11,889.20; Shagbushland, Feed Service Equipment 24.82 and Refuel 7,198.75.

SEAFOOD Conservation, Payment 59 681,988.00; Seafood Conservation, Conservation 268,788.55; Cam Conservation, Repair Maint. 17,481.18 and 1,975.00.

Seaside Supply House, Academic Supplies 8.90; Crown Home Center, Supplies 38.21; Riverside Seating Service, Prof. Service 674.50; Wiley Jungle, Supplies 36.80; S&L Office Supplies, Supplies 241.15.

John For Dietz, Eastern Sweden 200.00; Bryon O. Gwyn, 200.00; Conrad Williams 200.00; Irene Kaskan 200.00; Richard Flowers 200.00.

Crown Home Center, Supplies 38.31; Horizon Smith, Supplies 10.84; Rebel Sound System, Maint. 65.00; Lucent Technologies, Phone 23.36; R. R. Morton, Fuel 11.13; Crown Home Center, Supplies 68.54; Mont Electric, Supplies 80.23; AT&T, Phone 8.81; 10.27 and 10.42; Council of Public Schools, Registration Fee 48.00.

Kim Stacey, Various Travel Exp. 197.40; Dibs Chemicals, Supplies 55.92; Hancock Bank Leasing Dept. Lease Payments 175.57 and 177.10; Wiley Jungle, Supplies 21.94; Bell south, Phone 180.18; 44.72; 49.52 and 1,360.50.

Franklin Covey Co., Supplies 98.12; S&L Office Supplies 220.95; AT&T, Phone 5.06; Discount Tire Spot, Dr. Ed. Car. 6.00; AT&T, Phone 415.20; R. R. Morton, Fuel 43.50; Monti Electric, Supplies 55.00; Lucent Technologies, Phone 78.60; Beverly Wise, Fees 1,200.00; Total Rehab Plus, Fees 100.00; Gulf Coast Medical Center, Fees 6,190.00; Auto Glass Discount, Supplies 426.52.

Newbridge Book Club, Grant-Richardson 311.19; Mac Warehouse, Supplies 224.48; Wal-Mart, Supplies 260.63; District Maintenance, Athletic Trip 5,559.50; Jeff Hinson, Supplies 26.74; The Mail Bag, Supplies 23.30; William Cowling, Starkville 782.88; Ramanda Inn, Starkville 895.00; Cabot Lodge, Oxford/Tupelo 76.88; James Reaves, Oxford/Tupelo 289.00; Terry Smith, Prof. Fees 795.30; District Maintenance, Pay Indirect Cost 245.00 and 1,796.48.

Sea Coast Echo, Adv. 60.00; USM Reg. Service Center, M. Boyer 50.00; Monti

Electric, Supplies 55.00; Bell South, Phone 42.80; Centurytel, Phone 102.16; Lowe's of Gulfport, Tech labs 577.28; Crown Floor Covering, Supplies 346.02; PC Connection, Supplies 244.53; Mac Warehouse, Supplies 650.55; PC Connection, Tech Supplies 2,341.03; Amstar Inc., Supplies 3,042.84; GC/S.Voc. Co-op, 1,135.00; Bay Carpet & Interiors, Tech Prep lab 9,235.13 and 200.00; Gulf States Pro Lighting, Auditorium Supplies 470.19.

Willette Jean Foster, Fees 800.00; Judy Davidson, Prof. Service 3,329.79; Andy Loup, Reimb./Supplies 37.69; The St. Francis Academy, Fees J. Anderson 6,822.36; Gex & Arques, Fees 2,124.70; Iron Office Solutions, Maint. 150.00; Inns of Kessler, Additional Rm. Exp. 162.00; Terri McSwain, Private Carrier 42.00; Joan L. Hargrett, Private Carrier 493.50; Ross Howard, Private Carrier 60.00; Inacom, Supplies 49.43; South Miss. Business Machines, Maint. 27.00.

Lucent Technologies, Phone 42.73; W. A. McDonald, Supplies 727.16; DeRussy Motors, Maint. 50.00; R. R. Morton, Fuel 25.32; Bell South, Phone 93.61 and 42.80; Pilco Inc., Maint. 1,075.61; Bell South, Phone 273.16; Hubbard Hardware, Maint. 11.58; Utilities of BSL, Utilities 2,418.54; Waveland Water & Gas, Utilities 685.43; Miss. Power, Electricity 6,489.82; Lucent Technologies, Phone 105.80; Sea Coast Echo, Adv. 617.40; AT&T, Phone 93.32; Miss. Power, electricity 9.00; W. A. McDonald, Supplies 67.24.

Anti-Copier People, Maint./225.00; AT&T, Phone 19.64 and 8.49; Bell South, Phone 50.95; Compaq Computer Corp., Computer 1,399.00; Kyros Corp., Maint. 75.00; Orkin Pest Control, Maint. 40.00; Quil Corp., Supplies 313.88 and 88.60.

Bell South, Phone 46.48; Brown's Velvet, Food 1,266.90; Crumley Paper, Supplies 127.10; Dibs Chemicals, Supplies 45.71; Earthgrains Baking Co., Food 543.43; Luvel Dairy Products, food 367.70; Merchants Packing, Food 46.99; Orkin Pest Control, Maint. 40.00; Pilco Inc., Maint. 727.45; The Merchants Co., Food 6,893.71; Micro Warehouse, Computer 530.56.

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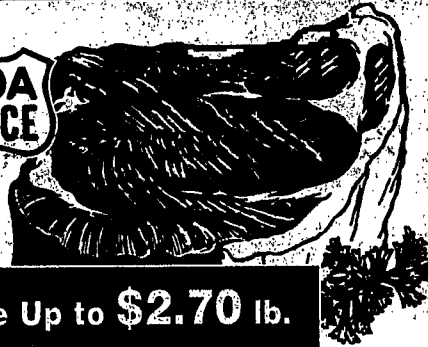
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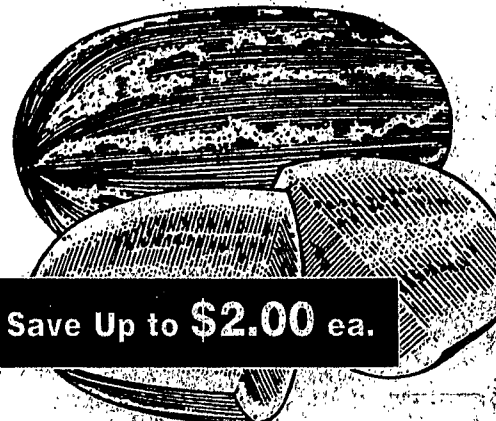
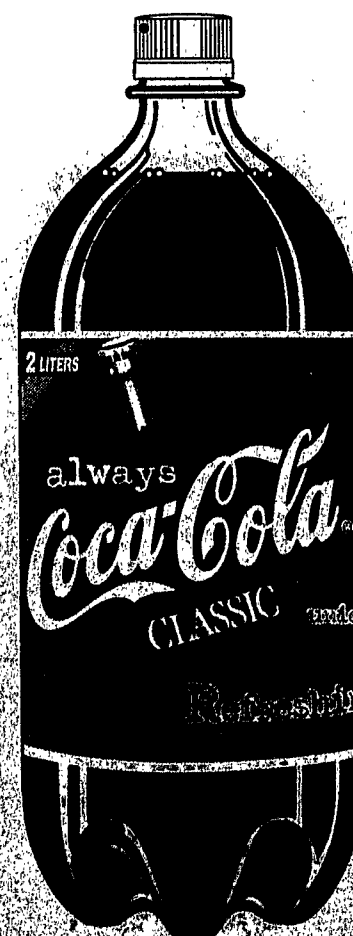
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